Weather

Overcast, misty. The maximum temperature yesterday was 59.0 and the minimum 49.8, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 67.3 and 57.7.

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SUGAR PRICE INCREASE DUE TO CALL FROM OUTSIDE U. S.

Demand In World Markets Thought Big Factor

CUBA IS FACTOR

Tariff Not Cause Of Soaring Quotations, Report

BY DAVID ARAKIE

It is pleasing to find the Tariff Commission appointed by President Harding to inquire into the sugar boom supporting the opinion that the rapid appreciation in the price of the commodity is in nowise prompted by the increased tariff. The United States Government is now engaged in stopping speculation in sugar, hoping that this action will prevent the price from registering further sharp advances. In an exclusive despatch carried by THE CHINA PRESS on Sunday the Government's desire to suppress gambling in this product is reflected in the injunctions asked for against certain speculators.

To any one who has studied the situation with a clear, non-prejudiced mind it will be apparent that no Government action could succeed in putting down the price of a commodity if a demand for it exists and is sufficiently strong to justify higher values. Sugar in New York has been going up in spite of the probing of the Government there, and also in spite of the injunction taken out against two speculators. Cuban sugar is now quoted at 7.91 gold cents per pound, duty paid, and cents 8.12 c. and f. New York, which are the highest prices touched this season.

When the Commission was appointed the price stood at five cents per pound exduty. So the rise has since been fairly sharp in spite of Government interference. Two weeks ago it stood at 5.3/8 cents per pound c. and f. New York America continues, too rule the sugar markets of the world and the recent jump has caused greater attention to be paid not only to Cuban sugar but the product of the Dutch East Indies, Japan, India and the Phillipine Islands.

CAUSES OF RISE

This further increase in price is due to the appearance once more of the United Kingdom and of Canada in the New York and Cuban markets. There is apprehension all over the world of the future supplies of the Cuban crop. The fear of runaway values has been reflected in feverish buying from consumers not only in America but in England and elsewhere. In London white sugar delivered in public bonded warehouses is quoted at 26-4½ for December delivery and 34-9 for May. Cabled advices received in Shanghai state that over 50,000 tons were bought in America last week by European consumers at 6.25 April-May c. and f. New York.

It is not only in America that the public is agitated over the increase in the price. In the United Kingdom there is considerable agitation to have the tariff on sugar removed or reduced. It is possible that political conditions there will influence the change, even though the revenue obtained from sugar is quite important. Advices from England are of a tone which indicate that refiners in that country are apparently being influenced by the possibilities of a decline in English duties.

There seems to be genuine dissatisfaction both in America and England with the way sugar prices have been behaving of late, and as must be expected under the circumstances, there are many who are anxious to welcome any sort of investigation into the matter.

OUTSIDE DEMAND

Investigations are good in a way, but in the present case, as far as any tangible evidence is concerned, the cause lies not in any monopoly or price rigging by trusts but the demand from outside the United States.

The Java Sugar Trust has published the second forecast of the sugar crop for this year, showing a decrease of six percent as compared with the first forecast, the

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Beauty From Japan At British Court

Mme. Takezo Okamoto.

MME. Takezo Okamoto, wife of Secretary of the Japanese Embassy, in London, is the daughter of Baron Hayashi, the Japanese Ambassador to Great Britain.

HURON ARRIVES; ADMIRAL COMING LATER ON YACHT

Flagship Of American Asiatic Fleet In Port For Ten Days

The U.S.S. Huron, flagship of the American Asiatic fleet, arrived in port yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock from Japan ports where it led the 43rd. Destroyer Division two weeks ago. It will stay in port 10 days.

Admiral E. A. Anderson, Commander-in-Chief of the Asiatic fleet, is not aboard the flagship, having boarded his yacht, the General Alava, at Kobe. The General Alava is still in Japanese waters and is not expected to arrive in Shanghai until the end of April.

The destroyers in the 43rd. Division, now visiting Japan ports, were due to leave Yokohama for Kobe yesterday and are expected in Shanghai in five or six days.

The seven destroyers which have been in port for the past two weeks sailed up the Yangtsze for Hankow Sunday afternoon about 2 o'clock and are due there tomorrow. The Black Hawk, which also left Sunday afternoon, anchored off Woosung until noon yesterday and after receiving a detachment of 50 men from the Huron, proceeded up-river.

The U.S.S. Villalobos also arrived in Shanghai Sunday from up river.

Three Killed In Aero Crash In U. S.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, April 23.—The War Department announced today that Captain A. R. Lawson and Sergeants Bidwell and Wheeland were instantly killed, and two others, Mr. H. M. Smith of the Bureau of Standards and Sergeant W. B. Shaw, were seriously injured when a big Martin bombing plane tail-spinned and fell into the Great Miami river.

Communists Flan World Aid To Reds

(Reuter's Service)

Riga, April 22.—It is reliably reported from Moscow that M. Chicherin, M. Krassin and M. Krestinsky have made energetic representations to the Government against the renewed terrorist methods as undermining foreign confidence.

M. Krassin threatens to resign if this policy is continued.

The Communist Congress at Moscow has passed resolutions in favor of strengthening the Red Army, as conflicts are now impossible, and also to support all parties abroad opposing capitalist Governments, the continuance of Government's foreign trade monopoly and an increased export of corn.

JAPAN NOW THREATENS TO SEIZE CHINA'S TELEPHONES

Legation Backs Plan To Take Over Loan Security

DEFAULTED IN '21

Also Aim At Seizure Of Wireless Stations

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Peking, April 23.—A Sino-Japanese industrial company, acting through the Japanese legation, is now threatening to seize control of all government telephones throughout the country as a means of obtaining repayment of the twenty million yen loan upon which China defaulted in October, 1921.

The security for this loan consists of all government's telephone properties, equipment and the revenues from the business, as well as the rights vested in the six wireless stations at Woosung, Wuchang, Foochow, Canton, Peking and Kalgan. The wireless stations are also security for equipment furnished by the Japanese, totalling six million yen.

The Japanese are now insisting that their accountants, supervisors and technical experts shall control and operate the telephones everywhere sufficiently to insure payment of the loan.

The defaulted loan was made in 1918, and one of the stipulations was that Japan should have a monopoly on all telephone equipment used by China for seven years.

DINNER MARKS END OF Y.M.C.A. FINANCE DRIVE

Successful Conclusion Of Membership Campaign Observed Last Night

Nearly two hundred members of the Chinese Y.M.C.A. sat down to dinner last night in celebration of the twenty-third anniversary membership and financial campaign. The group was made up from the officers of the "Y" together with all who secured a total of fifty or more points.

After the dinner the principal address were given by Dr. Huang Yui-be, of the Kiangsu Educational Association and Dr. D. Willard Lyon, Associate General Secretary of the International Committee of the Y.M.C.A. of North China. Dr. Lyon was the first secretary of the Y.M.C.A., having arrived here twenty-seven years ago.

The chairman of the evening was Mr. K. F. Chang, of the Ching Fong Co., who is treasurer of the Association. Music was provided by a string quartet from St. John's University.

The winning team with Mr. Walter Chen as captain occupied seats of honor at the dinner. This team secured a total of 10,937 points (or dollars) in the campaign. The total received by all teams totalled 52,715 points.

The prizes for individual and team winners, presented by Dr. D. W. Lyon, were provided by the Chinese American Book Co., the Standard Oil Co., Remington Typewriter Co., Ault Wiborg Co., Kodak Co., China Industrial Corporation, Commercial Press, Zee Sung Co., Hon. Hsu Yuen, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs, Mr. Wu, of Cotton Mill Guild, Mr. Soong Han-chang of Chamber of Commerce, Mr. C. C. Nieh, Mr. Zung Chou-sze, of Bankers Association, and Mr. F. S. Brockman, Associate General Secretary of International Committee of Y.M.C.A.

One interesting prize was a set of scrolls presented by Gen. Feng Yu-hsiang to the individual winners of the Chingchou team.

ST. GERMAIN FAIR

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, April 22.—The Fair of St. Germain, which dates from the 12th Century, will be held again this year. It will open in the place St. Sulpice on May 4 and will last until May 14.

Fritz Kreisler Is "Human" As Well As One Of World's Greatest Violin Players

Says There's No Such Thing As "World's Greatest Violinist" Or "Most Beautiful Woman"—Its Merely A Question Of Taste

BY LARRY LEHRBAS

Fritz Kreisler is as 'human' as his music.

It takes only a few moments in conversation with the great Austrian violinist to discover that that perhaps is the secret of his masterful playing, for he makes the same friendly, likeable appeal personally as does the liquid sweetness that issues from beneath his bow.

And, furthermore,—an important point with he-men—Kreisler looks 'human.' He is content to let his violin speak for itself without affecting the long, flowing mane so much in vogue among those violinists who advertise with their fulsome locks.

In the Astor House lobby yesterday evening Kreisler would have easily been mistaken for a wholesale dealer in hairnets, one of Shanghai's confirmed lobby squats, or even a middle-aged taipan awaiting a fair damsel with whom to trip the light-fantastic between sips of tea. Only in conversation, and especially when he spoke of the violin, did he reveal that spark of genius that has set him apart from other mere mortals.

"I didn't intend playing in the Orient," he said with a wide smile. His smile is one of the extraordinary things about him. It, too, is 'human,' and stretches from ear to ear. "I have a strenuous concert season behind me in Europe and the United States and wanted to rest. I'm building a home in Berlin, however, and because of the crisis in Germany it is far from complete. And so Mrs. Kreisler and I decided to make a trip to Japan and China as a vacation. It isn't possible, however. In Japan was requested to play in ten cities. And Mr. Strok wanted me to play in China, too. An artist has a love for his music that can't be denied. He always feels that he has a message to bring. Mine is on the violin.

AN OLD VIOLIN

"My violin is one of the [illegible] in the world. It's a [illegible] by the [illegible] himself, in 1736—and no one ever approached him in making a violin. There are perhaps twenty in the whole world."

"Could you play just as well on any other violin?"

Kreisler smiled pensively for a moment.

"An artist, of course, grows extremely fond of his violin. I love mine just as horsemen grew to love a certain horse, or a man loves a faithful dog. I could, however, play just as well on any other good violin."

"What value do you place on it?"

"It is priceless. I wouldn't sell it for anything because it isn't just a violin—it's part of me."

SAVAGE JAZZ

"Have you ever played jazz on it?"

"Never. Jazz is not real music. Jazz has a certain barbaric appeal, a rythmic sway, a sensual appeal of hot blood stirred on by beating tom-toms, but it is not real music. It doesn't appeal to me because it's crude, savage, elemental.

"Well if you think jazz is without an appeal what do you think of the wierd strains emitted from Chinese fiddles?"

"Chinese music has no appeal to me. It is without meaning and doesn't touch the heart strings. To the Chinese, however, I suppose it carries its own appeal. Japanese music is the same, high notes, no melody, no meaning. But Javanese music is different. It, like the Filipino music, seems to have a Spanish influence. At least it originated from a source closer to our own music than Japanese or Chinese."

In answering the next question—notables are always bombarded with questions running the gamut from their favorite breakfast food to how they like Shanghai by newspaper reporters according to the approved ritual—Kreisler showed he was a philosopher as well as a musician.

"Present company excepted, who is the world's greatest violinst?"

MUSIC AND WOMEN

"There is no 'greatest' violinst," Kreisler replied without hesitation, "I am not trying to dodge the question even though you say 'present company excepted.' I repeat, there is no 'greatest' violinist, just as there is no 'most beautiful' woman in the world. It's all a matter of taste. Some people prefer tone, technique, others personality, and still others the music played. In attempting to select 'the most beautiful woman'

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PRESIDENT BOATS DUE IN TOMORROW WITH U. S. MAILS

Grant And Lincoln Due—European Mail Comes Friday

Eighteen hundred and sixty-one bags of mail are arriving from America on the Presidents Grant and Lincoln tomorrow.

The Grant which comes from Seattle via Japan ports, will arrive tomorrow morning and is to dock at the China Merchants Central Wharf about 8:30 o'clock. The vessel brings 1,754 sacks of mail, 2,600 tons of general cargo and full list of passengers for this port, and is scheduled to sail for Hongkong and Manila at 6 o'clock Friday morning.

With 1,300 bars of silver bullion, 107 bags of mail, 1,600 tons of general cargo and a big passenger list for Shanghai, the President Lincoln is arriving from San Francisco, Honolulu and Japanese ports early tomorrow morning, and will probably dock at the China Merchants Lower Wharf. The liner will also sail for Hongkong and Manila on Friday morning.

Another mail boat, the Nyanza of the P. and O. is coming from London via ports, and will arrive here next Friday. The liner is expected to sail from Hongkong at noon today.

Two European mail boats and one trans-Pacific liner are leaving Shanghai this week-end. The President Wilson of the Pacific Mail, taking the next mail for America, will leave Shanghai for Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu and San Francisco next Saturday.

The Paul Lecat of the French Mail and the Karmala of P. and O. are sailing for Marseilles and London next Friday and Saturday respectively. Both the steamers are scheduled to arrive in Marseilles on June 2.

The M. M. steamer Amboise, which sailed from Marseilles on March 23 with mail, will arrive at Hongkong at 8 o'clock this morning and is expected in Shanghai on Friday morning.

Wireless Issue Deadlocked As Peking Dodges

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Peking, April 21.—The Chinese Government has temporarily blocked the plan of the Federal Wireless Company's plan to erect wireless stations in China by a dilatory response to the company's request for approval of a modified contract.

Dr. Jacob Gould Schurman, the American Minister, is strongly supporting the Federal Company on the basis of 'the open' policy, while Mr. Obata, the Japanese Minister is strenuously supporting the Mitsui claims, which contain the monopoly clause.

Negotiations are deadlocked at the present time with the Peking Government requesting more time to consider the entire question.

HARDING TO TOUR WEST

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, April 23.—President Harding is reported to have definitely decided to make his first political speeches west of the Mississippi.

It is said that he will deliver the keynote of his message to the West at either St. Louis or Knasas City in the near future.

Prince Aimone di Savoia

THE royal son of the Duke of Aosta and the former Princess Helen of Montenegro, and cousin of the King of Italy, who is near death at the Shanghai General Hospital.

Britons Observe St. George's Day With Ball At Carlton

[illegible] observed by the British of Shanghai yesterday with appropriate services at Holy Trinity Cathedral in the morning and a ball given under the auspices of St. George's Society at the New Carlton last night.

The ball last night was the social event of the week and was attended by several hundred couples. Just before midnight "God Save The King" was sung by everyone present in an impressive manner, following which the President, Sir Skinner Turner, headed by Beefeaters, led the way to the supper room. Sir Skinner Turner escorted Mrs. C. J. Scott, wife of the President of St. Andrew's Society, and was followed by Mr. S. Barton, the British Consul-General, escorting Lady Turner, Mr. Trenchard Davis, Vice-President, and Madame de Rossi; Mr. C. J. Scott, President of St. Andrew's Society and Mrs. H. P. Wilkinson; Mr. R. B. Moorhead of St Patrick's Society, and Mrs. Trenchard Davis; the Rev. Evan Morgan of St. David's Society, and Mrs. Gordon Mackie; Commander de Rossi, the Senior Consul, and Mrs. Simms; Mr. H. G. Simms, Chairman of the Municipal Council, and Mrs. R. J. Marshall, and Colonel Gordon, Commander of the S.V.C., and Mrs. E. F. Mackay.

There was no speech-making at supper.

CONGRATULATIONS

Many telegrams of congratulations [illegible] by the Society yesterday. That from London read: "Great banquet Guildhall, Prince of Wales in the Chair. Special service Cathedral observance England's day", (Signed) Ross.

Others were received from Hongkong, Hankow, Kobe, Ipoh, Peking, Yokohama, Tientsin and Penang.

Telegrams sent by the local society yesterday were as follows:

H.R.H. The Prince of Wales, President St. George's Society. Shanghai Branch respectfully tender loyal greetings and good wishes on the occasion of St. George's day. Skinner Turner, President.

The Royal Society of Saint George, London. Shanghai Branch respectfully tender loyal greetings and good wishes to the parent Society on the occasion of St. George's day. Skinner Turner, President.

A telegram reading: "Heartiest greetings from Shanghai" was also sent to the presidents of St. George's societies in New York, Hongkong, Yokohama, Kobe, Penang, Tientsin, Hankow, Peking and Ipoh.

The decorations for the ball were designed by Mr. T. H. U. Aldridge and Mr. R. E. Stewardson.

The official guests included: Mr. S. Barton H. B. M. Consul General; Mr. C. J. Scott President St. Andrew's Society and Mrs. Scott; Mr. R. B. Moorhead President St. Patrick's Society; Rev. Evan Morgan St. David's Society and Mrs. Morgan; The Senior Consul and Madam Rossi; The Chairman of Shanghai Municipal Cocucil and Mrs. Simms; Colonel Gordon—D. S. O. Commandant Shanghai Volunteer Corps.

The various committees which were in charge of last night's affair were as follows:

Executive: Sir Skinner Turner President, W. H. Trenchard Davis Vice President, A. W. Dixon, C. W. Beswick, W. Nation Hon. Treasurer.

Invitations: E. L. Allen, R. Bailey, A. E. Baker, J. L. Beaumont, G. M. Billings, I. H. C. Godfrey George Potts, S. S. Roberts, C. E. Sparke.

Reception: Sir Skinner Turner, W. H. Trenchard Davis, Sir Edward Pearce, Very Rev. Dean Symons.

Supper and Refreshments: Capt. E. I. M. Barrett, W. A. N. Heygate, K. Martin, R. F. C. Master, R. C. Phillippo, A. J. Welch.

Dance Floor: A. W. Dixon, C. W. Beswick.

Decorations: T. H. U. Aldridge, G. S. Aveyard, A. W. Brankston, A. C. Clear, C. Harpur, P. H. Nye, R. E. Stewardson.

Publicity: E. F. Goodale, O. M. Green, Rev. C. E. Spencer.

Traffic: Major Hilton-Johnson.

Michigan Woodsmen Hoax Whole State

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Northport, Mich. April 23.—Edward Horn, one of three men who risked their lives crossing slush ice and open water on the lake to report that South Fox Island residents were starving to death, admitted today that his story was a hoax resulting from a plot instigated by a number of wood-cutters on the island who have been without tobacco for a month and wanted something to smoke.

Horn's story created tremendous excitement all through the state and help was planned on being sent from as far away as Chicago.

RAIL MERGER

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tokio, April 16.—An agreement has been reached for amalgamation of five private railways in Korea. The amalgamated railway company will be organised with a gross capital of sixty million yen. Particulars will shortly be made public.

PRINCE, CLOSE KIN OF ITALY'S KING, IS NEAR DEATH HERE

Aimone In General Hospital With Double Pneumonia

ILL SEVEN DAYS

Crisis Was Due In Royal Naval Officer's Illness Last Night

Prince Aimone di Savoia, cousin of King Victor Emmanuel III of Italy, is at the point of death in the Shanghai General Hospital with double pneumonia, according to information received by THE CHINA PRESS last night.

At 11 o'clock last night the Prince, who was taken to the hospital with pneumonia on April 18, was said to be passing through the crisis, determining whether or not he lived. If he lived through the night, physicians in attendance said, he would recover.

The Prince's condition has grown steadily worse during the last few days until yesterday when his temperature, which had been as high as 103.6, dropped to slightly over 100, and physicians in attendance were hopeful that he would pass through the crisis safely.

Dr. G. Piazza, the Prince's personal physician, informed THE CHINA PRESS last night that two local physicians had been called into consultation and that it was their belief that unless complications set in the royal Italian would recover. Dr. Piazza spent the night at the Prince's bedside.

Prince Aimone, who is also Duke of Spoleto, is 24 years of age. He entered the Italian Navy when he finished his schooling and has been in Chinese waters for the past two months as an officer on the Italian gunboat Sebastiano Caboto. After visiting several weeks in Shanghai, during which time he was the guest of honor at several functions, he sailed for Canton and was stationed there, and at Hongkong, for some time.

On March 9 the Prince, accompanied by his aide, Lieut.-Commander Mariao, left Canton on an overland trip to Changsha, during which he visited the Roman Catholic missions in Kwangtung and Hunan. After visiting with the Bishop of Kwangtung for three days at Hsuchow the Prince and his party made the trip overland by way of Yangfu through mountainous country that required seven days hard hiking through bandit infested territory. Reaching the Li river the party was pulled through the Kichang gorges. Sampans were then taken down the river to Hangchow where His Royal Highness visited with the Bishop of Hunan for four days.

From Hengchow the Prince sailed to Changsha on a Chinese junk, and then went on to Hankow. After a stop there for a few days Prince Aimone came down the river to Shanghai.

He was at the races on the Shanghai course two weeks ago, but because of the Italian court being in mourning for the late Queen of Rumania, the mother of the Queen of Italy, he has not taken the part in social activities that he did during his first visit. The Prince is a very fine dancer and was popular in numerous parties at the Astor and New Carlton during his first visit here.

His mother, the former Princess Helen of Montenegro, and other members of the Royal family, have been informed of his illness by cable, and Com. di Rossi, the Italian Consul-General, is a daily visitor at the hospital.

Speaker Of House O.K's Harding Plan

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, April 23.—Speaker Gillette of the House today issued a statement taking issue with Congressman Wood, and endorsing President Harding's proposal for the United States to enter the International Court of Justice.

Speaker Gillette said that the opposition of Congressman Wood, and other Republican congressmen, arose from a misunderstanding of the situation.

Poincare Denies Berlin's Militarism Accusation

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, April 22.—In the course of his speech at the unveiling of the war memorial at Void, M. Poincare declared that in these frontier districts, which for centuries had been smitten by German invasions, the memory of the griefs they had endured and the tears they had shed would prevent them from ever forgetting the murders, violations, burnings, pillage and inhuman crimes, the responsibility for which German propaganda was now trying with infernal cleverness to throw upon her victims.

The attitude of a German Minister in accusing France of militarism appeared to him odious folly. M. Poincare showed that the occupation of the Ruhr was in conformity with the Treaty of Versailles and was justified by the wilful and premeditated violation of all her pledges by Germany.

The violation has been officially declared by the Reparations Commission. The occupation had been carried out with moderation. If it had to take on a military character in spite of the desire of France to collaborate with the industrialists and workers it was as a result of the order of the Reich for resistance.

Adverting to the alleged offer of 30 milliards, which, Dr. von Rosemberg declared, had been made in January, M. Poincare showed that it was a case of an offer invented after the event in an endeavor to placate the German Socialists, who were recommending the same figure. Moreover even if the offer had existed, it would prove that Germany, having formally recognised the debt in 1921 as 132 milliards, meant in 1923 to pay only less than a quarter of that amount, while claiming a moratorium for 3 or 4 years without guarantees or pledges. Now it is impossible for the Allies, having proved that Germany violated her pledges of 1921, to renew their confidence in her in 1923.

Replying to a statement by Dr. von Rosemberg in the Reichstag, the French Premier showed that the alleged gentleness of Bismarck after 1871 was in reality full of severity. Germany caused the occupation of the French departments to be prolonged, strengthened, and made more rigorous, speaking even of a new war in case of delay in the payment of the indemnity or even in the case of a simple change in the political situation.

The Reich also perverted facts of yesterday. Dr. von Rosemberg claims that the Schutz Polizei is in no way military. He, however, knew personally that the Commission of Control, which had been the object of hostile acts notably, at Stettin, Passau and Ingolstadt, were powerless to obtain from Germany in conformity with the Treaty the disbanding of units which did not exist in 1913, the suppression of the staffs, the dismissal of officers and the discontinuance of military exercises.

On the other hand, the Reich on July 17, 1922 promulgated a law giving officials of the Schutz Polizei terms of service analogous with those of the army. The Schutz Polizei troops were real troops trained for fighting. Yet Germany herself proclaimed that without an entente between the Reich and France the reconstruction of Europe was impossible. But since 1871 France in spite of all her efforts has only found in Germany arrogance and threats on the pretext of the slightest incidents. "We are not tempted to intimidate her," M. Poincare declared. "We have since 1918 constantly given proof of patience and magnanimity but how can Germany speak of an entente with us when she begins by establishing a doctrine of non-recognition of treaties and repudiation of signatures. The essential conditions of a rapprochement consist in two works, always the same, reparations and security. We owe it to our dead not to allow the fruits of victory to be snatched from us, not to have to begin our sacrifices once again. We will not, we cannot continue to pay for Germany. The reconstruction of Europe, and the maintenance of peace are impossible without guarantees for our independence and the restoration of our devastated country."

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, April 22.—The French flag was this morning hoisted over the Coal Bureau at Essen.

The opening of new yards for the removal of combustibles began this morning in the Ruhr. The French occupied the mines at Dalhausen and Effian and the coke factories and mines at Lothringen and Merklinde and the Victoria mine at Kanstropp. The French also seized stocks of coal briquettes at the Alstaden mine near Duisburg, and an important factory for the distillation of tar as a result of the Germans having ceased to deliver byproducts since the occupation of the Ruhr. This is the third tar factory to be seized in the past fortnight.

French Wireless through Reuter

Paris, April 22.—General Gouraud has been invited by 40 officers and men of the 2nd Division of the U. S. Army, known by the name of the Rainbow Division, to visit America to be present at the annual reunion in July.

(Reuter's Service)

Berlin, Apr. 22.—According to a Socialist Party organ, trade union leaders, as a result of a conference yesterday with the Chancellor and the Foreign Minister, have gained the impression that Marquess Curzon's speech in the House of Lords has completely changed the situation as compared with the last few weeks.

The trade unionists emphasise the necessity of continuing passive resistance in the Ruhr until the termination of the present conflict, and urged the Government to do its utmost to hasten the evacuation of the Ruhr, declaring that the moment had come for the German Government to make definite proposals.

(Reuter's Service)

Void, Meuse, Apr. 22.—In a speech today at the unveiling at Void of a monument to the fallen M. Poincare did not refer to Marquess Curzon's speech nor to Britain. He merely reaffirmed the French determination to obtain full reparations and security and replied to certain statements by the German Foreign Minister Dr. von Rosenberg notably his hopes of a Franco-German entente. M. Poincare declared that since the peace France had not ceased to give proofs of her patience and magnanimity towards Germany but it was useless to talk of an entente when Germany began by establishing a doctrine of non-recognition of treaties and repudiation of signatures. The essential conditions for a rapprochement were contained in the words "reparations" and "security." Without a guarantee of French independence and the restoration of her ravaged territories, neither the reconstruction of Europe or the maintenance of tranquility was possible.

M. Poincare mentioned that the Allies on April 18 had agreed to call on Germany to suppress the organisation of police on a military basis and to substitute a genuinely civil force.

Britain Declines To Aid Ship Search

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Apr. 22.—It is reported from Washington that Britain, responding to the request of the State Department, has offered general co-operation in curbing liquor smuggling, but has declined the proposal of the Secretary of State, Mr. Hughes, for mutual search of ships on the high seas.

No meal is perfect without BAKE RITE BREAD

GIRL, ABDUCTED BY INDIANS, IS FOUND; UNHURT

Officer's Daughter Safe, But Greatly Fatigued By Enforced Travel

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, April 23.—Mrs. Starr reports that Miss Ellis has in no way been molested or injured beyond the results of fatigue. Negotiations are proceeding for her release but her welfare is now assured.

(Reuter's Service)

Peshawar, April 22. — Mrs. Starr, a lady doctor of the Peshawar Medical Mission, who heroically volunteered to go to Tirah to help Miss Ellis, started yesterday and was personally escorted across the border near Bhinwari by the Chief Commissioner from Hangu.

Mrs. Starr's safety has been guaranteed by the chiefs of the Afridi and Orakzai tribes. She has been received in a friendly manner in the course of her journey.

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, April 22.—A communique has been issued stating that there has been no further news as to the exact whereabouts of Miss Ellis but there is little doubt that she has been taken to some mountain stronghold in the heart of the Tirah country.

Tribal opinion is strongly incensed against the offenders, whose crime has been openly denounced in the mosques.

Widespread measures covering the whole Afridi and Orakzai regions have been taken to discover Miss Ellis. The elders and headmen of the various trans-frontier tribes are on their way to try and effect her release.

(Reuter's Service)

Simla, April 22.—Miss Ellis is in the charge of Mrs. Starr at the Khanki Bazaar in Tirah. She is in a weak condition and her feet are bruised and bleeding but otherwise she is well.

Believed Peking Intends To Auction Opium Monopoly

In spite of the denial by the Governmental authorities with regard to their alleged intention legalise the opium traffic and to grant a monopoly in the trade to the highest bidder, Legation circles attach much significance to the persistent rumors in this connection, says a report from Peking.

The foreign Ministers, adds the report, recently held a meeting, at which it was resolved to address a despatch to the Chinese Government calling attention to the Sino-British Treaty relative to the suppression of opium.

The Associated Trade Unions at Shanghai have circularised a telegram to the different provinces, bestirring the Chinese people to oppose the alleged attempt of the Government to "revive the opium scandal."

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The proposal to offer 264,000 of the unissued ordinary shares of the Oriental Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company at a premium of two taels per share instead of three taels per share as approved at the last general meeting of the shareholders of the Company was sanctioned at the extraordinary meeting held yesterday.

Mr. H. E. Arnold presided and he was supported by Messrs. C. H. Rutherford, E. T. Byrne, A. J. Welch (Directors) and Mr. Moller (Secretary).

In the course of his speech, the Chairman said:—

"At the annual meeting there was a certain amount of opposition to the resolution and subsequently the shareholders who opposed the resolution requisitioned that a special meeting be called to cancel it. As a result of negotiations with the Hongkong shareholders direct, on whose behalf the requisition was sent in, an agreement was arrived at, by which they undertook to support the resolution in the amended form in which it is submitted to you today.

"Before doing so, I would like to dispel an impression that seems to have arisen in their minds, that in only giving seven clear days' notice in calling the annual meeting there was any ulterior object. I think I am right in stating that the annual meeting has in the past been called in accordance with the provisions of the Articles, which stipulate seven clear days' notice, with one exception, which was due to the fact that our auditor had left for Hankow without signing the accounts.

"I have now much pleasure in submitting the amendment to the Resolution that 264,000 of the unissued ordinary shares of the Company be offered in the first instance at a premium of Tls. 2 per share to the members of the Company, in the proportion of six new ordinary shares for every five ordinary shares held by them respectively."

This Resolution was seconded by Mr. A. S. Ellis and passed unanimously.

Australia May Send Tennis Team

(Reuter's Service)

Sydney, April 22.—The pressure of public opinion will possibly induce a reconsideration of the decision not to enter the Davis Cup Competition.

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it is the same. Some pick and choose because of their eyes, their skin, their character, the depth of their emotions. We would never all agree on one.

"Well then, what is your favorite selection on the violin?"

"That, too, is difficult to answer. Mendelssohn's Concerto is probably the most perfect piece ever written for the violin. I play it tonight. It probably is my favorite."

"What about your own compositions?"

"I have written many. Of them all "Caprice Viennoise" has been the most successful."

Mrs. Kreisler, who was sitting at another table, called that it was time for the violinist to take his daily constitutional, and Kreisler showed his affection for his violin was somewhat divided.

"Mrs. Kreisler also needs the rest," he said. "She has been working very hard in numerous charity organisations, and especially for the poor children of Vienna. I, you know, am an Austrian, and Vienna is a wonderful city. It is impossible to live there, however, because all the children know Mrs. Kreisler and she gets no rest."

While Kreisler was slipping on his overcoat the interview came to a jerky, snappy conclusion. Kreisler is going to play two concerts in Shanghai, tonight and Thursday night, after which he will return to Japan where he will give several concerts. Then he is going to Peking to see the glories of China of old, and possibly play in Peking and Tientsin. Then he will return to the United States and sail for Germany.

"And next year?"

"I will return to England and the United States again. At my first appearance in London after the war I received the greatest ovation I ever had. In the United States I was welcomed everywhere warmly. I love the British and the Americans."

Pigeon Shooters Will Meet Today

The annual general meeting of the Shanghai Clay Pigeon Club will be held at the Shanghai Club today ta 5:15 p.m., when a large attendance of members is desired.

Members who are willing to serve on the Committee for the following year are requested to communicate with the honorary secretary, Mr. A. E. Stewart, before the date of the meeting.

The report and accounts shows that the Club rolls for 1922 listed 63 members, consisting of 30 shooting members, 15 non-shooting, 12 absent and 6 honorary.

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Defense Opens Its Case In Police Officers' Trial; Gabbutt In Witness Box

The opening of the case for the defense and the calling of Detective Sub Inspector Gabbutt, one of the two foreign police officers accused, to the witness box, together with testimony by medical men and high police officials yesterday featured the Supreme Court trial resultant from alleged ill-treatment of a prisoner, Loh Tse-hwa, at Hongkew Station early last month.

The case is being heard by Sir Skinner Turner and a jury, Mr. H. F. Wilkinson, Crown Advocate, assisted by Mr. S. H. McKean, appearing for the prosecution and Mr. Reader Harris for the defense. Mr. E. Maitland is watching the case on behalf of the police. The court room was again crowded for both sessions.

Dr. Stafford M. Cox was the first witness called. On February 7 he medically examined the complainant, an appointment having been made. The coolie was brought to the house by Mr. Chang. He was in a very collapsed state.

The certificate written by the witness was then read out by the Crown Advocate.

DESCRIBES INJURIES

The black eye was the result of a blow of some sort, however administered? Yes.

The arms were hanging like flails—were both equally bad? One arm, the right, and the right hand, had only a slight movement of the fingers.

Witness added that the sensation of the arms was entirely cut off.

Would you say that the arms were permanently numb? No, not numb, for it is not sufficiently serious. Numb implies sensation. There was a complete absence of sensation.

Dr. Cox detailed the facts of the examination. He had heard the evidence given by the complainant, and the injuries were consistent with the story told by Loh as to the violence he had suffered. The sensation of the arms was consistent with his arms being tied behind him, strung up and the weight of the body fell on the arms. The right foot's condition was consistent with being tied with rope and a weight put on the rope to stretch it as much as possible. The black eye was a result of a blow. As regards the right side of the body, its condition was scarcely done with a leather strap, but with something more heavy and with a broad surface.

A trouser string would never have done it? Impossible.

Even a cotton belt? Not possible.

The delay in bringing Loh to him was not good procedure and the exposure in the car might aggravate the condition of the shock. The injuries were not self-inflicted.

MAY NEVER RECOVER

Loh has been walking with slight difficulty? I question if he will ever fully recover.

Cross-examined by Mr. Reader Harris: You are an intimate friend of Mr. Chang? Yes, very intimate friend.

You refer to a state of exhaustion and the man had been sitting in a car for 4½ hours? The injuries sustained were aggravated by being four hours in an uncomfortable position.

You expected him to be worse at 4 than at 10? Yes, worse.

And worse that day than the day before? That I could not say.

Bruises usually reach their maximum discomfort 24 hours after they have been inflicted? As a general rule that is about right.

Witness said he presumed that there was laceration of the kidney, as there was blood in his urine. He believed the marks on the body could have been caused with a broad and heavy belt.

In reply to the Judge, Dr. Cox said that he was now satisfied that if there was laceration of the kidney it was small. Gangrene of the right foot did not occur. The state of the arms was due to over-stretching of the nerve trunks. Loh could not take off his clothes.

DR. TUCKER CALLED

Dr. A. W. Tucker, of St. Luke's Hospital, examined Loh at the hospital on Sunday. The man was admitted on the 7th. When he examined him there were no traces of the constriction which had been reported. The lower part of the legs were not swollen. The arms showed bruises, upper and forearm, with partial paralysis in both arms, more marked in the left than the right. There were old bruise marks on the buttocks. His heart was normal when witness saw the complainant.

He was not by any means cured? No, Sir.

Dr. Cox found traces of shock? Possibly, he had recovered when I saw him. He was not showing signs.

Cross-examined by Mr. Reader Harris: Complainant left the hospital on the 12th. Witness had kept him under watch for the return of paralysis or motion. He had intended to discharge him on the morning of the day he left, but Major Hilton Johnson wanted the fact reported to him first. As a matter of fact he could have been discharged a week or ten days before if there was a certainty of his being under medical attendance.

CHINESE DOCTOR'S EVIDENCE

Dr. Lin Sung Woo, of St. Luke's Hospital, said he examined Loh on the 7th. Loh was unable to walk upstairs and was carried by coolies. He could not remove his own clothes. Witness described the marks on the face, eye and ear. He had bruises on both buttocks and they were tender. There was very little action in the arms and both shoulders, due to temporary weakness or paralysis. The wrists were swollen and tender. There were bruise marks on both sides of the hips and legs. Witness suspected the man had laceration of the kidney. No blood was found in the water when tested at the laboratory. The man's condition was not serious—his life was not in danger. The coolie's pulse was fast, but witness did not notice his frightened appearance. He was certain that the man had been tied somewhere so as to make the blood stop, and as to the condition of the ankles he would say the same thing.

Cross-examined by Mr. Harris, complainant was generally in a good state of health, well-nourished.

Did you go up country the other day to carry out an operation? Yes.

Up to Wunsieh. Yes.

Did you discuss this case with a missionary up there? They asked me about it and I told them we had a care. I did not offer my opinion.

Didn't you say to one of them that you were assisting to fix foreigners in Shanghai? I would swear that I did not say that.

What did you say? I said we had a case, and that Dr. Cox, Dr. Tucker, and myself were to be called as witnesses.

You did not give any opinion about it? No.

ARMSTRONG TESTIFIES

Mr. W. Armstrong, Director of Criminal Intelligence, was then called.

He said that he had a report of the case by Inspector Gabbutt. As regards Det. Sergt. Balchin's knowledge of Chinese he could only say that a bonus was lost by him. Balchin, witness said, could understand pretty well the ordinary Shanghai dialect, but not the mixed Ningpo and Shanghai dialects. He then referred to the circular issued on March 11, 1922, and signed by Deputy Commissioner Major A. H. Hilton Johnson, concerning the complaints by Chinese at the Mixed Court of torture at the Police Station. He also knew that there were two Chinese detectives, as well as two foreigners, in the case, but he could give no reason why a Japanese had been Mixed up in it. The case was in Balchin's hands, and it is evident that he, Balchin, referred to Sub-Inspector Gabbutt, the latter being in charge of all the Detective staff at the Police Station. It was not proper for a prisoner to be taken out during the day, the evening, and at night. He could not account for that.

Mr. Reader Harris: It is a very common thing for accusations to be made against the Police? Yes.

They produce wounds and injuries to support that accusation? Yes.

Generally self-inflicted? Yes.

To your knowledge? Yes.

In connection with this case there are two Chinese detectives to be charged at the Mixed Court? Yes.

And the case is remanded? Yes.

Do you know of this circular which purports to have been issued by the Ningpo Guild? I have seen it.

Have you done anything in connection with it—any enquiries? I have not dealt with it personally.

DESCRIBES ROUTINE

The Judge: To whom is it given to enquire into a case? As usual it is given to one man. In this case Sergt. Balchin was in charge, and he referred it to Gabbutt. Balchin himself was instructed by Inspector Prosser. As a matter of fact the case, or the charge must first of all, be referred to the Officer on duty.

Was Inspector Gabbutt in charge of Detective Staff? Yes. Balchin was one of the staff, as well as other foreigners, Chinese and Japanese.

Do you know Okajima? Yes. He knows Chinese.

Do you know why he was brought into this case at midnight? I could not tell.

You know that there were two European, two Chinese, on the case of the theft? Why was a Japanese brought in? I cannot tell.

A theft is reported, a Chinese boy is suspected, and you can give me no reason as to why a Japanese mixed in? No.

Do you approve of the examination at the hands of the Detectives that afternoon, another one in the evening, and then dragged out of the cell to undergo a third? No.

As a result of the investigation, quite apart from physical trouble, the detectives had already got according to their story ample admission of this man's guilt of the theft. Could you give me any reason why he was taken out of his cell at midnight? No.

Is it usual on the force to apply this method which is sometimes known as the third degree? No.

Is it usual in the force to give a man in this position any outside assistance or is he left in the detectives' room by himself? I do not know.

Is his examination to be entirely without friends? He has no friends there.

Do you agree that the proceedings of the detectives all that night were improper? Yes.

NO LADDER THERE

Did you hear the coolie give evidence? No. I have not seen or heard him.

He said that he was tied up to the ladder in the Detectives' Room. Is there any furniture of that kind? No. There is no such furniture in the room. I do not visit the place quite often though I know that there is not anything of that sort.

Inspector Mackenzie was recalled at this stage.

The Judge: You have heard the questions put to Mr. Armstrong already? Yes.

You were in charge of Hongkew Station on February 5th and 6th? Yes.

Is there any piece of furniture in either of the detectives' rooms which corresponds to a ladder? No.

Are you sure? There is a ladder in the station, not in the detectives' room.

Did you agree with Mr. Armstrong that, apart from anything else, what is known as the third degree on this man at midnight was improper? Yes.

Can you suggest any reason why the Japanese detective was called in? No reason whatever.

There already have been two Chinese detectives at least and two foreigners on the case? Yes.

Now is it usual or allowable for a prisoner to be taken out of the station for the purpose of making enquiries without a foreign detective being in charge of the party? It is not customary.

I want to ask you one other question about this case. You may or may not know. You know that Mr. Ting came to the station to see this man about 6 o'clock? I personally spoke to Mr. Ting after he saw the man.

Did you know he was coming before he saw the man? I did not.

If anybody wishes to see a prisoner from the cells where does he get sanction? He goes to the Sergeant on duty.

In this particular case it was Doyle? Yes, at 6 o'clock.

You were told about it? Gabbutt called me.

NO OTHER VISITOR

To your knowledge did any other outside person except Mr. Ting have access to the prisoner up to 6 o'clock on February 6th? Not to my knowledge.

As far as you know nobody came? No.

As far as you know Loh was in the custody of the Police from the moment he was brought to the Station by Prosser at mid-day on the 5th until he was discharged at the Mixed Court on the 7th? Yes.

The only person to see him during the whole of that time who was not connected with the Force was Mr. Ting? Yes.

Asked if he was certain to know if anybody had seen him, witness said it was not necessary, as he went off duty but if anybody had seen Loh in all probability a report would have been made. There was no reason for thinking that anybody had seen him except Mr. Ting.

What Chinese standard has Okajima passed? He speaks Chinese very well.

You told us that you had nothing to do with the allocation of work in the detectives' office? No.

They are entirely amongst themselves when a case is put in their hands? Yes, except there is the man on station duty.

Asked if he included Japanese as foreigners in his reply, witness said "No."

And the result of that answer is that the fact that Okajima and the Chinese went out after midnight with the prisoner was not a customary thing? Not customary.

Mr. Wilkinson put a question as to the ladder.

The Judge remarked: He has told us that there was a ladder in the station.

Sergt. E. J. Ling, who was on duty on the 6th in the charge room, said he saw Loh there. It was 1.30 a.m. Gabbutt was there, Chinese detectives and Okajima. Before midnight he saw Balchin leave with Schmidt through the main gate.

EVIDENCE METHODS

Evidence in support of police methods in effect in the Settlement and describing the difficulties encountered in police investigation was given shortly after the afternoon session began by Major Hilton Johnson, Deputy Commissioner of Police.

Major Hilton Johnson stated that it was extremely difficult to deal with prisoners locally. Regarding the circular sent out regarding alleged torture of prisoners, he explained the reason for its issuance.

It very often happened that a gang of, say, five or six robbers was known to be operating. Two might be captured and were then questioned regarding the others. It was very irritating for the police to know that almost within their hands were the others.

The Court: Do you consider it

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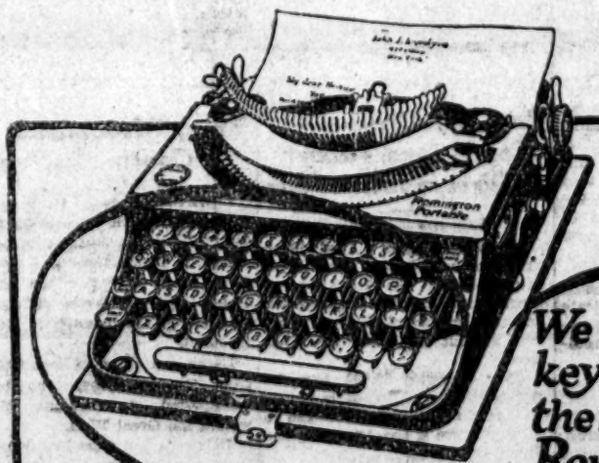

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Mr. H. D. Rodger appeared to prosecute and Mr. K. E. Newman for the defense. Mr. Rodger stated to the Court that the other man concerned in the case had not yet been arrested, but he was prepared to go on with the case against the broker, Kyung Vung-dah. Outlining the case, he stated that the accused had purchased diamonds from the complainants on previous occasions, paying for some of the stones and giving native bank orders. In the present instance the accused and one Chen Tsu-ping called at the office of the complainants on March 22 to pay for some purchases. They paid over Tls. 2,000 in cash and gave a check for Tls. 1,000 and a native bank order for Tls. 2,000. The check was subsequently dishonored. They then said that they wanted to buy some more diamonds and selected two lots, agreeing to pay Tls. 22,000 odd in cash for them. The next day they called again, turned over native bank orders for the amount and took away the stones. The bank orders were afterward found to be forged.

Mr. Rodger called some evidence in the case and it was then adjourned until tomorrow.

Carlton Theater

"Joseph and his Brethren," which the Carlton Theater will screen beginning from tomorrow night, is a superb spectacular production, ranking with some of the most pretentious cinema outputs of recent times. It is another of the million dollar creations for which the American industry is justly proud of. It is not only intended to entrance but also to please. Photoplay journals are loud in praise of 'Joseph and his brethren" and advance bookings at the Carlton Theater indicate that throughout the period that it will be shown in Shanghai very large throngs will visit this picture palace.

Ismet Defends Chester Grant

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, April 22.—Interviewed at Lausanne by a correspondent of the Matin with regard to the Chester concessions, Ismet Pasha is said to have declared that apart from the clauses in the concession dealing with the ports of Samsun and the Samsun-Sivas railway he did not believe that French interests were affected.

In view of the vast amount of work to be done in Turkey there would be no difficulty in finding other concessions to grant. The Turks had come to Lausanne firmly hoping for peace but they could not wait to begin on the necessary works in Turkey until the negotiations with the Powers had been concluded.

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(Reuter's Service)

London, April 23.—The Daily Telegraph's diplomatic correspondent says that a new powerful syndicate, wholly independent of the Chester group, is being formed in the United States for the purpose of buying up and developing existing options on concessions in Turkey proper and the detached territories.

The Morning Post's correspondent at Constantinople telegraphs that the Turkish Government with a view to placating France is likely to offer the latter a concession for the construction of the Eski-Shehr—Brussa—Panderma railway and the port of Panderma in lieu of the concessions made over to the Chester group

Rubber Estates Show Good Profit

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 23.—The recent reaction in rubber shares is surmised by the Financial Times to be due to defects in the enforcement of the Stevenson Restriction Scheme, particularly in the liberality of production licenses to native owners.

The paper expresses the opinion that many of the existing loopholes in the carrying out of the scheme will be gradually stopped and hopes that when the new allocation of licenses occurs in May a less generous standard of production will be fixed. The journal advises rubber share-holders not to sell at present.

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NO ORDINARY BATHTUB DIPS FOR ME WHEN I CAN SPLASH AROUND IN THE HISTORIC NILE! I'M GOING DOWN TO THE RIVER NOW!
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BUD FISHER

News Brevities

Owing to the indisposition of Miss Smallwood, no lectures on Cooking will take place at the Old Carlton Cafe, Ningpo Road, today. The admirable course of lectures being given at the Cafe by Miss Smallwood are arranged by the Shanghai Gas Company. Announcement regarding the resumption of the demonstrations will be made later.

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Sharcholders of the Great China Cotton Mill, Ltd., will meet at the Cotton Yarn Guild, 27 Elgin Road, on May 20 at 2 o'clock.

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Mr. Chu Yu-chi, new director of the Shanghai Mint, will take over the office from Mr. Lo Hung-nien today. The handing over was postponed from Saturday on account of the absence from Shanghai of Mr. Lo.

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A Chinese Dramatic Club will be organised by members of the Y. M. C. A. tonight at 7.30 o'clock at the association.

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Sixteen cases of Chinese paper umbrellas were shipped to the United States by the Nile, which sailed yesterday. This is believed to be the largest lots of paper umbrellas ever exported.

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A delightful entertainment and "Robin Hood" will be given under the auspices of the Dramatic Section of the B.W.A. by children at the Cercle Sportif Francais on April 30 and May 2 at 5:15 p.m., in aid of the King's Daughters Convalescent Home for Children. Tickets (Adults $2.00 and children $1.00) may be had at Messrs. Moutrie and Co.

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The Shanghai Amateur Radio Society will hear a lecture on "Receiving and Amplifying Electric Magnetic Waves" by Prof. C. H. Robertson at the 'Y', 20 Museum Road, at 5:45 o'clock this afternoon.

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Mr. A. D. Blackburn of the British Consulate staff, and the Senior British Assessor in the Mixed Court, and Mrs. Blackburn, sailed on the City of Poona for London. Mr. Blackburn will be promoted to an inland consular post at the expiration of his leave.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Van Buskirk and daughter, and Mr. Milton Davis were among the passengers sailing for San Francisco on the s.s. Nile.

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Lieut. Cy Bettis and Lieut. E. E. Aldrin of the United States Air Service, stationed in the Philippines, arrived in Shanghai yesterday on board the U.S.S. Huron from Japan, where they have been on leave. They will sail for Manila on the President Grant on April 27.

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A party of 23 lady tourists will sail from Osaka for Shanghai on April 29. They will visit Soochow, Hangchow, Nanking and Peking.

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Miss Wang Ching-yung, daughter of the late director of the Chinese Educational Mission to the United States, Dr. C. T. Wang, will speak on food constituents before the Shanghai Chinese Woman's Club at the Shun Pao Building (Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Pan-American Conference Talks Disarmament Plan

(Reuter's Service)

Santiago de Chile, April 22.—At a meeting of the Armament's Committee of the Pan-American Conference, Brazil proposed the limitation of capital ships to 80,000 tons without limitation for other vessels.

Chile proposed 80,000 tons for capital ships only but it is reported that she would be agreeable to a lower figure if the Argentine and Brazil concurred.

Argentina proposed 55,000 tons for capital ships, 25,000 tons for auxiliaries and 15,000 tons for submarines. Chile then moved the appointment of a sub-committee of naval experts to reach an agreement. The decision was postponed till Tuesday.

Brazil suggested the limitation of land armament on the basis of the Central-American Conference Agreement. Action was postponed.

The Hygiene Committee adopted a resolution submitted by the United States delegation recommending that exportation of intoxicants to prohibition countries should be prohibited by the nations where the liquor traffic is still legal.

LONDON'S POPULATION

London, March 9.—The population of London, which includes the many suburbs but not the "health area," was 6,891,419 on December 1, according to the estimates of the Metropolitan Water Board. This is an increase of 57,885 over the report for 1921.

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Troop Movements Continue, Report

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, April 23.—Many military movements continue to be reported to Hsifengkow and also to Luanchow. Among other movements the First Shensi Division is reported to have gone from Honan to Jehol.

Large quantities of ammunition from Techow Arsenal are being transported to various places within the Great Wall.

It is reported from Mukden that there are not many troops west of Chingchow but there are large forces of cavalry near Hsifengkow.

General Wang Hual-ching has despatched two of his subordinate Generals to Jehol to investigate the situation.

General Pao Kuei-ching, former Minister of War, has left for Mukden in order to negotiate with General Chang Tso-lin.

COTTON PRICES

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Apr. 21.—Cotton prices broke yesterday on heavy general selling. The old crop fell 85 to 104 points. The new crop fell only 45 points on reports of rains in the south-west. Bulls appear to have abandoned hopes of higher prices.

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Sugar Prices Due To World Demand

(Continued from Page 1)

total crop for this year being estimated at 1,600,000 tons. Sales of the new season Java sugar crop so far amount to as follows: 3,770,000 piculs for Japan, 582,000 piculs for Europe, 197,000 piculs for China, and 280,000 piculs for India, the total being 4,829,000 piculs.

A considerable increase in the output of sugar from the Philippine Islands is expected during this season. The total output from the six centrals of the Philippine Sugar Centrals Agency will be between 85,000 and 90,000 tons, valued at about 20 million pesos.

Sugar merchants and refiners in Japan are making a clear profit of six guilders per ton at present on their purchases of Java sugar, while large profits are also being made by them on their purchases of Cuban sugar. If all the foreign sugar purchased by Japanese interests and held by them are sold today, a profit of nearly six million yen could be realised. It might be added that this figure is below the mark attained during the 1919 boom in sugar.

BLOW AT JAPANESE

An interesting announcement is that the Java Sugar Trust has ceased accepting the guarantee of the Japanese banks in connection with purchases of sugar by Japanese companies. It appears that this is a new ruling of the Trust, the effect of which has been to drive away from the market speculators who gambled in the commodity on margin. The large Japanese concerns are required to deposit 20 percent of the purchase price, while the smaller firms have to provide the joint guarantee of a Japanese and foreign bank. The Japanese interests are incensed at the action of the Trust and, although the Japanese banks have appealed to Amsterdam, a deaf ear has been turned to representations. Of the forthcoming yield of Java the Japanese manufacturers have contracted already 300,000 tons, out of a total of some 2,857,540 tons of the new Java yield. Japanese buyers, by the action of the Sugar Trust, have been deflected to the Cuban market, where 120,000 tons of sugar were purchased some six days ago for June shipment at six cents fob. Cuba.

Large supplies of Japanese sugar have been arriving in recent weeks into Shanghai. Stocks of the Japanese grade in the godowns here are estimated to be some 80,000 bags, of Java some 50,000 bags, of Phillipine Islands 50,000 bags and of Chinese native sugar about 20,000 bags. Last week's arrivals comprised 20,000 bags. The market in Japan is excited. Japanese sugar on the Shanghai market is quoted at Tls. 10.35 for next month's delivery. Java spot is cabled at 22½ guilders.

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

Washington, April 23.—Democratic National Chairman Cordell Hull today issued a statement in which he charged that the efforts of President Harding and the Administration in the sugar inquiry was directed more toward shielding the infamous Fordney-McCumber tariff law than in giving any benefit to the consumers of the country, who are paying outrageous prices for sugar.'

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, April 23.—The demand of housewives throughout the country has forced the sugar market upward, causing advances in all classes of the commodity. The large buying movement from England is continuing, it is said, because of the failure of the British Government to change the duty rate.

Chinese Papers Tell Of Another Exchange Victim

An echo of the stock exchange scandal which prevailed here in 1921 and the early part of last year is reported in yesterday's vernacular press in connection with the case of one Mrs. Li Cha-yin.

The story is told that attracted by the great boom in the stock exchange shares the other year, Mrs. Li invested over $4,000, being half a life's savings of her husband, an employee in the Yochow Telegraph Administration, in the speculative enterprise. The amount was lost in a fortnight.

The husband, however, did not realise this until he came home recently. He found his wife hard pressed by her creditors, for she not only had lost the $4,000 but also a considerable sum borrowed from others. A quarrel between the couple ensued and the wife several times attempted suicide.

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Boston Trails In Old And New Circuits; Practice To Start Here This Afternoon Unless Rain Interferes

LEAGUE STANDINGS

American

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	4	0	1.000
Cleveland	3	0	1.000
Philadelphia	3	1	.750
Detroit	3	1	.333
St. Louis	1	3	.250
Washington	1	3	.250
Chicago	0	3	.000
Boston	0	4	.000

National

	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	4	1	.800
Chicago	3	1	.750
Cincinnati	3	1	.750
Philadelphia	1	2	.333
Brooklyn	1	2	.333
St. Louis	1	3	.250
Pittsburg	1	3	.250
Boston	1	4	.200

Exclusive Dispatch To THE CHINA PRESS

New York, April 18 (Delayed) King Baseball's 1923 coronation ceremonies were conducted in baseball parks throughout the country yesterday and today, with the pop eyed populace looking on in greater numbers than ever before in the history of the sport. The National League's schedule began yesterday, while the younger circuit did not get under way until today.

Fine weather featured most of the openings, although there was a chill in the air here and in some of the other cities.

Both New York teams won their opening engagements, the Giants taking the lowly Bostons into camp while the Yankees were having a rather easy time with the Athletics over in Philadelphia. The main feature of the opening locally was the appearance of McGraw's new players, particularly Kamm, the Pacific Coast infielder, for whom he is reputed to have paid $75,000. The youngster did well in his first game and the fans were much impressed by his speed and style.

In the opening games in National League New York defeated Boston 4 to 1. Pittsburgh downed the Chicago Cubs by a 3 to 2 score. The St. Louis Cardinals won from the Cincinnati Reds, 3 to 2, and Philadelphia and Brooklyn battled to a 5 to 5 tie when the game was called on account of darkness.

LATER SCORES

NATIONAL LEAGUE

(April 17)

New York 4—Boston 1.
Pittsburg 3—Chicago 2.
St. Louis 3—Cincinnati 2.
Philadelphia 5—Brooklyn 5 (darkness).

(April 18)

Philadelphia 6—Brooklyn 6.
New York 7—Boston 4.
Chicago 7—Pittsburgh 2.
St. Louis 4—Cincinnati 2.

(April 19)

New York 4-4—Boston 3-3.
Brooklyn 5—Philadelphia 3.
Chicago 10—Pittsburgh 5.
Cincinnati 8—St. Louis 7.

(April 20)

Philadelphia 8—Brooklyn 7.
Boston 9—New York 2.
Cincinnati 10—St. Louis 2.
Chicago 12—Pittsburgh 11.

(April 21)

New York 7—Brooklyn 0.
St. Louis 8—Chicago 10.
Cincinnati 12—Pittsburgh 6.
Boston 14—Philadelphia 1.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

(April 18)

Philadelphia 3—Washington 1.
Cleveland 6—Chicago 5.
New York 4—Boston 1.
Detroit 9—St. Louis 6.

(April 19)

Philadelphia 4—Washington 2.
Chicago 0—Cleveland 0.
New York 8—Boston 2.
Detroit 8—St. Louis 3.

(April 20)

St. Louis 5—Detroit 3.
New York 4—Boston 3.
Cleveland 8—Chicago 5.
Philadelphia 6—Washington 2.

(April 21)

Washington 6—Philadelphia 4.
Cleveland 5—Chicago 1.
New York 7—Boston 6.
Detroit 16—St. Louis 7.

CANDIDATES FOR BASEBALL TEAM ASKED OUT TODAY

Manager Gallop Wants Players To Practice; Huron Team Here

With the arrival of the Huron, flagship of the Asiatic fleet, yesterday baseball interest here took a long step forward, and the only thing wanted now to make the old pot boil is a bit of dry weather. The Huron team, reported stronger than last year, has been playing continuously all winter and spring, having only recently finished a series in Japan. In Japan the flagship boys split even, winning two and losing two, one of their defeats being at the hands of Ono, the star Japanese pitcher who was here two years ago with the Olympic team that was nosed out for the championship by the Filipinos.

Manager Herby Gallop said yesterday that the Swimming Bath had again kindly given permission to the baseball boys to make use of its quarters as a temporary dressing room, and as the gear has been taken there Manager Gallop is anxious for all candidates to get out today, if for nothing else than to throw the ball around a bit. Practice will be held, he said last night, unless there is a downpour. A mere drizzle will be no excuse for not showing up, the manager said.

The Huron boys are keen for a game as soon as the weather permits, and unless the grounds are under water over the week end they will surely be accommodated, as the local players are straining at the leash. Clyde Fickwers, first sacker of the Huron aggregation, will have his men out for practice tomorrow.

Football Scores

(Reuter's Service)

London, April 21.—Association Football:

English League—First Division:

Preston North End 1, Arsenal 2.
Aston Villa 3, Everton 0.
Tottenham Hotspur 2, Birmingham 0.
Middlesbrough 1, Blackburn Rovers 2.
Chelsea 3, Bolton Wanderers 0.
Burnley 2, Sunderland 0.
Sheffield United 0, Cardiff City 0.
Liverpool 1, Huddersfield Town 1.
Nottingham Forest 2, Manchester City 0.
Newcastle United 1, Stoke 0.
Oldham Athletic 0, West Bromwich Albion 0.

Scottish League—First Division:

Airdrieonians 5, Falkirk 1.
Clyde 0, Aberdeen 1.
Hearts 1, Ayr United 1.
Morton 0, St. Mirren 1.
Motherwell 0, Celtic 0.
Partick Thistle 1, Hibernians 0
Rangers 1, Kilmarnock 0.

CALEDONIANS WIN

(Reuter's Service)

Londond, April 21.—The London Caledonians beat Evesham Town by two goals to one after extra time at Crystal Palace in the Amateur Cup Final.

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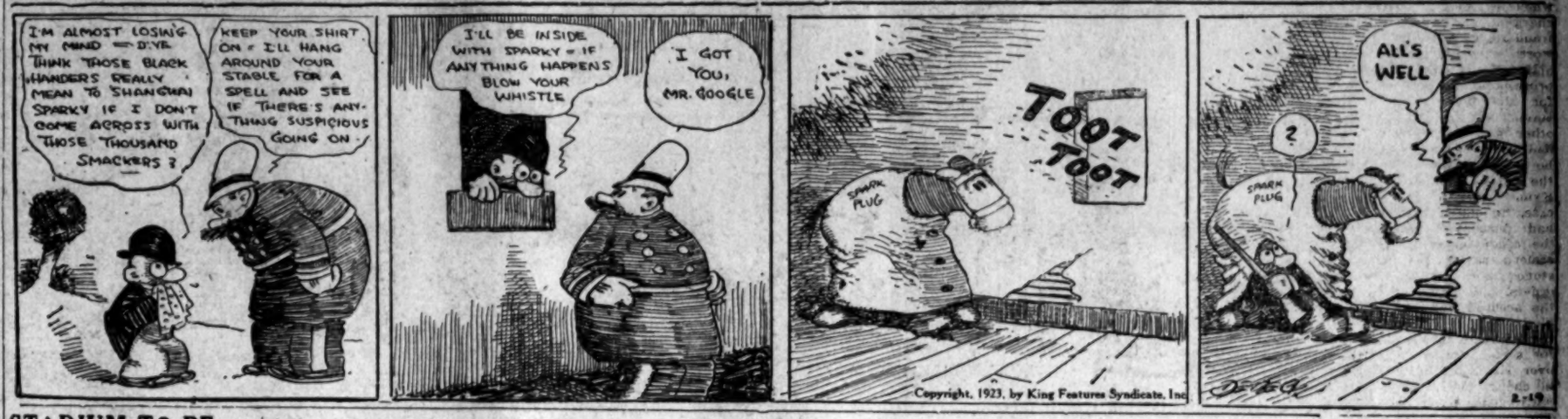
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STADIUM TO BE READY FOR FIRST BOUTS ON MAY 11

Fine Array Of Boxers To Appear At Initial Show, Is Promise

Work on the new boxing stadium in Great Western road is rapidly nearing completion, and will be

KNUTE HANSEN

ready for the opening show on May 11. Despite the unfavorable weather that has prevailed here since work started the new stadium is about three quarters completed, and in another week will be practically finished. It will hold 2,500 people.

It is announced by the managers that one of the preliminary bouts of the opening night will be between Albert Lascar and Babe Siemsen. This is to be a four round affair, and will be put on as the second prelim.

Lascar is a Frenchman whose fighting a few years ago was mostly with a gun in the Flanders trenches, where he saw service with the army. During the war he boxed several times with American and British scrappers, all of whom came to regard him with a healthy respect.

Knute Hansen, the heavyweight, is now in active training, but as yet no suitable opponent has been found for him. If the stadium were nearer the river they might let him mix it for a few rounds with the battleship Huron, which is about the only thing of his class in this neck of the woods at present. However, Knute has consented to give an exhibition bout with a local amateur, to help the show along.

Canton Athletes Not To Boycott Osaka Games

(Eastern News Agency)

Canton, April 30.—Notwithstanding the fact that various public bodies in the North have recently advised them not to attend the Far Eastern Olympic Games to be held in Osaka, the Cantonese athletes have decided to participate in the meeting.

Although there are some difficulties in raising funds to the extent of $8,500, the sum may be after all obtained in time and they are expected to leave Canton for Japan before long.

ST JOHN'S BEST INTERCOLLEGIATE BASKETBALLERS

Quint Wins East China Title By Vanquishing Baptists

St. John's won the Intercollegiate basketball championship for the third consecutive year when the Varsity Quintet took the Shanghai Baptist College Basketball tossers into camp by the score of 31-13 on the Cooper Gym floor. The Eligibility Committee of the E. C. I. A. A. had declared Mr. K. C. Shen of Nanyang ineligible because the evidence showed that he had already played six school years of intercollegiate athletics—which is against the rules of the association.

The game commenced in a whirlbang manner and was nip and tuck all the way through. For a few minutes neither side could tally. Shanghai however broke the ice when Ling not only closely covered but looped in the two-point curtain raiser. St. John's immediately followed suit. Oo caught the leather and passed to Tsang who had left his position as guard and was waiting near the basket. He made an easy throw. In quick succession Oo looped in a ball with his one hand specialty. After this the Shanghailanders were always left to rail the score. Tsang again followed with a clear shot. Then came some fine passing by the Johanneans, but their attempts to tally were frustrated.

P. K. Eu of S. J. U. finally caged a two-pointer. Shanghai rallied and G. D. Pao rushing out increased the score by two points. The Jessfielders exhibited another round of passing at the end of which T. Zung sent the ball through the ring. Then Eu came strong with another shot. T. T. Zee who has been assisting his team-mates received a chance and made use of it in a nice throw. Oo at once duplicated this feat after the Jessfielders had made quick changes of the ball in their hands.

Before the whistle sounded for lemons Zee added two more points to Shanghai. The score at the end of the initial period was 14-8, S. J. leading.

The second period started faster. T. T. Yui was put in to substitute Eu. Again the Shanghai passers opened the score by two foul throws executed by Pao. St. John's guards continued to break loose from their forwards and Mo and Tsang each caged. Then a foul was awarded to the Black and Blue cagemen and Yu took the shot. At this stage the Johanneans flashed into brilliant play. Nimble passes left the Yangtszepoo boys gasping. This scintillation culminated in Zung's tally. Shanghai then played tighter and Ling made another easy throw. Yui after some tussle managed to throw one ball into the basket. Another foul was called on St. John's by G. Poteat, the umpire and Pao took the shot easily. Umpire Poteat of Shanghai called another personal on Yui and he was forced to retire from the game. Eu was put in his place. St. John's now was walking away with the title. Tsang and Oo scored in rapid succession. Time was called when A. W. Ma right forward of Shanghai was hurt in running. C. T. Liu replaced him. The last goal came when a pass by Tsang was taken advantage of by Oo.

The line-up and summary:

St. John's 31.—K. L. Oo rf, P. K. Eu, T. T. Yui lf, C. T. Zung c, F. S. Tsang rg, T. T. Mo lg.

Shanghai 13.—A. W. Ma rf, Henry Ling lf, T. T. Zee c, G. D. Pao rg, T. S. Chang lg.

Substitutions; St. John's, Yui for Eu, Eu for Yui; Shanghai C. T. Liu for A. W. Ma.

Floor baskets; Oo 5, Tsang 4, Eu W, Zung 2, Ling 2, Pao 1, Mo 1, Yui 1.

Foul goals; Pao 3, Yui 1.

Referee; Prof. W. M. Portfield.

Umpire; Prof. G. Poteat.

Timers; Y. L. Tsung and J. H. Willey.

Scorers; W. B. Mo and E. Kelhofer.

Chess Shield To Be Presented

The Inter-school Chess Shield will be presented to the winning team at the Thomas Hanbury School for Boys, 63 Haskell Road on Thursday next, April 26, 4:30 p.m. by Dr. Stafford Cox. This will mark the end of the first year in the competition.

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Correspondence

THE SHANGHAI-HANGCHOW DEBATE

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

That was a great debate last Friday evening.

First of all, what an audience! I wonder if Martyrs' Memorial Hall ever held a larger number of people or a more enthusiastic group of listeners. It was a great inspiration for the speakers to look into such a sea of faces: and a little embarrassing too for the youthful orators.

But how restrained was that audience at the end of each of the speeches, and how impatient to burst out into vociferous applause. Might it not have been better to permit them to give vent to their feelings?

Undoubtedly Shanghai College feels proud to have won the Championship in debating for East China, among the four universities of St. John's, Nanking, Hangchow, and Shanghai. But both of the teams are to be congratulated on the splendid showing which they made.

The Shanghai College men showed the results of several years of training and practice, they having represented their institution for two full years or more, and having spoken in the same Hall on at least one previous occasion. The Hangchow debaters were all of them younger men, and yet they tackled their opponents with grit.

The weakness of the affirmative position was the difficulty which they, or any one, would have in proving a universal negative, and one which had reference to the future, whose specific conditions are, of course, unknown. How can anyone predict that no combination of circumstances can arise in which not even a single war may be justifiable. The negative pressed their advantage home in this respect.

The affirmative did not consider it their duty seriously to offer a substitute or substitutes for war. They should have made more of this, and could have made a strong argument, which should have given them the decision.

The affirmative might have pressed more emphatically the difference between the inevitability and the justifiability of war.

A great deal of credit must be given to the third speaker on the affirmative side, Mr. George Yu, who showed himself a master of oratory and a convincing arguer.

But the decision of the judges was unanimous, and undoubtedly the verdict of all neutrals in the audience (if there were such) was that the debaters on the negative side brought out the stronger arguments. They held closely to their topic, and knew in what part of the argument their strength lay. They showed a confidence and an ease in delivery that was remarkable.

P. E. Alcovere.

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The Interport Rowing Dinner Committee wish to announce that the dinner in honor of the winning crews has been postponed until April 30.

Australia was absolutely dependent for naval defence on the Empire. If attacked they could only hope to hold out till the Mother fleet arrived and even for that their expenditure must be considerably increased.

One hundred and sixty Philippine athletes will take part in the Far Eastern Games to be held in Osaka next month. How many China will send has not yet been decided.

The annual sports of Fubtan College will be held at the Siccawei Middle School campus next Saturday.

The annual general meeting of the Shanghai Rowing Club will be held at the club house on Friday at 5:30 o'clock.

Australia Must Consider Defense

(Reuter's Service)

Sydney, April 22.—Speaking at a military reunion here yesterday Mr. Bowden, the Minister of Defence, said that the time had arrived for Australia to decide on her defence problems.

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Defense Opens Its Case In Police Officers' Trial; Gabbutt In Witness Box

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necessary, asked the Judge.

out of his cells twice? There is no limit to cross-examination.

The Judge asked whether the witness approved of Loh's treatment. He replied, "Most certainly I do approve of intensive questioning to a certain extent."

Asked whether witness approved of complainant's being hauled up on a charge of theft at midnight, witness replied: "If there is any further information to be elicited I approve of any moment of intensive questioning."

The Court: I don't think many people will agree with you.

Witness: It is the only method the police have.

Judge Skinner Turner stated that the D. C. I. did not agree. He considered that it was wholly improper. He asked why a Japanese detective should have been brought in at midnight for the third questioning. Witness: I know who it was said that he was brought in.

The Court: I am very fully alive to the fact that this enquiry is very serious for the police force in this Settlement, whatever happens, but we are here to get at the truth of what happens.

Witness, in reply to the question, stated that the Japanese had been brought in because he could speak both Chinese and English better than the other officers.

The Court: I understand that the Japanese has not a bonus Gabbutt has.

The Judge further asked witness whether the importance of detection was in finding stolen money or getting the punishment of the criminal.

Witness: Primarily the punishment of the criminal.

When you have got his confession? If a confession is a full one nothing more is wanted.

Do you still consider that a third question was proper?

Witness: I was not there; therefore it is impossible to say.

On the facts as I put them? There was a question and a confession and a further question and a confession.

Witness: My opinion is that the fact of there being a third question-ing signifies that there was something more to be got.

The Court further asked witness whether he still considered that there should have been a third questioning.

Witness: I can only say that it is to be left to the man concerned. I cannot say it was not necessary.

Has there not been a sufficient enquiry made in the Force itself to say whether it was or was not necessary, asked the Judge.

Witness: No, the enquiry did not touch on that point. The enquiry failed to bring out material facts.

Sub-Inspector McKenna produced an official report of the proceedings at the Mixed Court. He had been doing that work for eight years. Det. Sergt. Tinkler said he had nothing to do with the Loh case. Det. Sergt. Reposo was also called. P. C. G. H. Parry spoke of Gavan's quarters and marked the plan.

That concluded the case for the Crown.

DEFENSE OPENS

Mr. Reader Harris then opened the case for the defence. It was a very serious charge. The jury had the responsibility to decide whether the Crown had made out a case upon which they would be justified in recording a verdict of guilty. There were three charges, the most serious being that of inflicting bodily harm with intent, etc. This case had undoubtedly caused considerable stir in Shanghai, it had been discussed in clubs and private houses, and full reports of the hearing at the Magistracy had appeared in all the foreign press. Most of the jurymen would have heard opinions expressed one way or another, but he would impress upon them that they should dispel from their minds any idea they may have formed before coming into Court. They were to decide simply and solely on the evidence which was heard in that case.

Counsel detailed the actual facts of the case. No allegation was made by Loh to Mr. Ting at the station that foreigners had assaulted him. Dr. Stafford Cox counsel considered had exaggerated the evidence given. Counsel dealt with the parade of Police at Gordon Road when Loh failed to identify Gabbutt. As to the proper course to be taken at midnight, counsel said that Gabbutt was training the Interport football team. On returning that night about 11 o'clock he was told by Balchin that they had been to two false addresses in the hope of recovering the money. Major Hilton Johnson had expressed the opinion that it was the duty of Gabbutt to make every inquiry he possibly could. Inspector Mackenzie did not consider it a proper course to take. He proposed to call Chief Det. Inspector Reeves.

The Judge asked if he was going to be called to contradict Mr. Armstrong and Mr. Mackenzie.

Counsel said that was so, and Mr. Reeves would tell the Court that it was perfectly in order according to instructions to send out a prisoner with Chinese or Japanese.

Referring to the circular which was handed to a Police officer at the Victoria Theater, Mr. Reader Harris said it was an anti-foreign manifesto and made four demands, and one was that if Loh should die Detective 62 and others should suffer with their lives and the family of Loh should be compensated. The circular was not dated. Counsel referred to the excellent character of Gabbutt.

GABBUTT IS CALLED

Det. Inspector J. F. Gabbutt said he joined the Police Force in October, 1912. He was the first man to volunteer in Shanghai, and left with the first contingent in 1914. He served in France, Belgium and Italy. In 1919 he returned to Shanghai, and his rank now was Det. Sub-Inspector. Witness saw an entry in the Rough Report Book as to the loss of the money, and about 2 o'clock he saw Loh in the Chinese detectives' office. Balchin and Prosser were there. Soon after 4 he changed his clothes as he was going to the Recreation Ground. Then he got his first information as to the case from Balchin. He had taken Loh out and got no result. Witness questioned the complainant, and he changed the story. $200 he said had been given to Prosser's boy. The latter denied the statement.

Loh was sitting on a Chinese stool when questioned, and there was no beating. At 10 p.m. witness returned to the Station and saw Balchin again, and witness was told of the second visit to Jessfield Road. Prosser's boy was discharged. At 11 p.m. the man was taken out of the cell, as he was "pulling his leg," and witness thought it was loss of face for him when there was a loss of money from the station and it could not be recovered. He (witness) had stated that he thought other boys at the station were implicated. Okajima was a good Chinese and English scholar, and as no one could understand Loh very clearly the Japanese detective was sent for.

Loh described how he followed Gavan after he had seen the wad of money, and when the constable left his room minus his coat he (Loh) slipped in and stole $700 Hongkong and Shanghai Bank notes, $40 separate notes, and a foreign document. It was quite correct for Japanese to go out with Chinese. Balchin did not go on that journey.

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Municipal Notification
No. 3141.

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By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
Acting Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, April 21, 1923.
58198 A 25

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Hongkong, 28th March, 1923.
58261 A 26

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58264 A 25

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"That it has been proved to the satisfaction of this meeting that the Company cannot by reason of its liabilities continue its business and that it is advisable to wind up the same and accordingly that the Company be wound up voluntarily and that *Alexander McLure* and *Tom Griffin* both of Shanghai, be appointed as Joint and Several Liquidators for the purpose of such winding up."

Dated the 20th day of April, 1923.
ERIC MOLLER
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SETH, MANCELL & McLURE,
Official Court Accountants.
7 Avenue Edouard VII,
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58093 A 25

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Not more than $200 will be received during one month from any single Depositor.
Interest at the rate of 3½ % per annum will be allowed upon the monthly minimum balance.
The maximum balance on which interest will be allowed is $5,000.00.
Deposits may be withdrawn on Demand. Accounts will be kept either in Dollars or Taels, Local Currency, at the option of the Depositor.
Depositors will be presented with Pass Books, in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.
OFFICE HOURS: 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturdays, 10 a.m. to noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Ltd.

Incorporated 1912.
Capital Authorised ..£1,200,000-0-0
Capital Paid-up £1,066,520-0-0
Reserve Fund H. K. $800,000.00

HEAD OFFICE:
No. 6 Des Voeux Road Central, Hongkong.

OFFICES:
Shanghai, New York, Canton and Bangkok.

SHANGHAI OFFICE:
No. 1 and 2 Ningpo Road.

AGENCIES:

Honolulu	San Francisco	Kobe
London	Sourabaya	Batavia
Manila	Singapore	Canada
Yokohama	Samarang	etc.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.
Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.
SAVINGS DEPARTMENT.
We shall open our Savings Department beginning on February 21st, 1923. Favorable terms given. Savings deposits are cordially invited.

WONG WEN KUANG,
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
5 FOOCHOW ROAD.

Telephone: C. 1941.
C. 1946.
C. 5651.
Telegraphic Address: "Knabox"

Capital ..... Yen 10,000,000

Head office ....., Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.
Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a speciality. We issue Demand Drafts, T.T. Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc. etc.
Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.
Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.
Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.
Domestic Agencies at Tientsin Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau Dairen, Changchun, Mukden Soochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.
Y. KATADH, Manager.
M. F. CHANG, Sub-Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Subscribed Capital	72,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	68,400,000.00
Reserve Fund (1-6-20)	69,500,000.00

Head Office:
No. 96 Boulevard Hanoomann, Paris.

Branches and Agencies:

Saigon	Hanoi	Tourane
Haiphong	Hankow	Tientsin
Peking	Canton	Mengtze
Hongkong	Pondichery	Bangkok
Singapore	Shanghai	Noumea
Papeete	Djibouti	Yunnanfu
Pnom-Penh	Battambang	

London Bankers:
The National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.
Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris—Credit Lyonnais.

The Shanghai Agency undertakes all Banking and Exchange operations; grants credits on goods and approved securities; opens current and fixed deposit accounts, in taels and francs according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN,
Manager.

International Banking Corporation

Capital Paid Up ..U.S. $5,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits ..... U.S. $10,455,127

Owned by the National City Bank of New York.

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK
London Office: 36 Bishopsgate, E.C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan.

San Francisco Office:
232 *Montgomery Street.*

BRANCHES:

CHINA		PHILIPPINES
Shanghai		Manila
Peking		Cebu
Tientsin		
Hankow		SPAIN
Harbin		Barcelona
Hongkong		Madrid
Canton		
		STRAITS
INDIA		Singapore
Bombay		
Calcutta		DOMINICA
Rangoon		Santo Domingo
		Sanchez
JAPAN		San Francisco
Tokyo		San Pedro
Yokohama		Santiago
Kobe		Puerto Plata
		Barahona
		La Vega
JAVA		PANAMA
Batavia		Panama
Soerabaya		Colon

We are also able to offer our Customers the services of the Branches of the National City Bank of New York in the principal countries of South America, Central America and in the West Indies.
Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current Accounts and Savings Bank Accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

N. S. MARSHALL, Manager.
1A Kiukiang Road, Shanghai.

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$18,914,400.00
Reserve Fund	$2,443,700.00
Special Reserve Fund	$3,534,600.00

Head Office: Peking.

Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Berlin, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Osaka and Yokohama.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
22 The Bund
Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG,
Manager.

浙江實業銀行 The Chekiang Industrial Bank Ltd.

Established 1908
(Member of the Shanghai Bankers' Association)

Capital	$2,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	$206,400.00
Undivided Profits	120,751.00

Head Office: 14 Hankow Road, Shanghai.
Branches: Hankow and Hangchow.
Domestic Agencies:
In the principal cities throughout China.
Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Hamburg, Berlin, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodate, Seoul, Pusan and Hongkong.
Banking Department, Foreign Department and Savings Department.

Li Ming, Manager.
Tel. C. 7130, Manager's Office.
C. 7121 to 7124, General Office.
Cable Address:
"CHINDUBANK," Shanghai.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappy

(Netherlands Trading Society)
Established 1824

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 19,445,211 (about £1,620,434)
Special Reserve: Guilders 22,660,000 (about £1,888,333).

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Pekalongen
Bandoeng	Palembang
Bombay	
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerakarta
Kobe	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Tegal
Makassar	Tjilatjap
Medan	Welteyreden
Padang	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.
The Bank buys, sells and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.
Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLEB,
Agent.

東亞銀行 The Bank of East Asia Ltd.

SHANGHAI BRANCH
No. 1C Kiukiang Road.

Authorised Capital	$10,000,000.00
Paid up Capital	$5,000,000.00
Reserved Fund H.K.	$500,000.00

HEAD OFFICE: Hongkong.
BRANCHES: Canton, Saigon.
LONDON BANKERS: London Joint City and Midland Bank.
Correspondents in all principal cities of the world. All kinds of banking business transacted.
Interest allowed on current deposits and fixed deposits.
Loans granted on approved securities.

R. CHENG,
Manager.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI.

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Subscribed Capital	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On fixed deposits:—
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL,
Chief Manager.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars. 4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire 16,000,000
Paid up Capital ..Silver $1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire 4,000,000
Reserves ..... Silver $150,000

Head Office: Shanghai.
Branches:
Hankow, Peking, S'hai, Tientsin.
Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano.
England: Credito Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Banque Francaise of Italienne pour l'Amerique du Sud Comptoir National d'Escompts de Paris Banque Italo Belge.
United States: Credito Italiano Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belge.
Switzerland: Banca Unione di Credito.
Banque Commerciale de le Bale.
Lon and Co.'s Bank.
Banca Unione de Credito.
Belgium—Credit General Liegeois
Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U. S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.
General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.
Telegraphic Address: Sinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Road.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
Managers' Office Central 3004.
C. MARMONT.
CHIN YU SHU.
General Managers.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1916)

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-up Capital	$1,500,000.00
Reserve Fund	$200,000.00

SHANGHAI BRANCH
27 Jinkee Road
Telegraphic Address "CHUNGFOO"
Telephone Numbers ....C. 1929 Manager's Office. C. 5468) C. 6469) General Office. C. 6470) C. 5620 T. T. Department.

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES IN CHINA

TIENTSIN	Changsha	Hsuchow	Shasi
SHANGHAI	Chengteh	Ichang	Soochow
PEKING	Chengchow	Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu
HANKOW	Chinkiang	Nanking	Wusieh
Antung	Fengtien	Ningpo	Wuhu
Canton	Hangchow	Pengpu	Yangchow
Changchun	Hongkong	Shaoshing	

FOREIGN AGENCIES AND CORRESPONDENTS

Baltimore	Cincinnati	Montreal	San Francisco
Berlin	Cleveland	New York	Seattle
Boston	Detroit	Osaka	St. Louis
Buffalo	Kobe	Philadelphia	Tokio
Cebu	London	Pittsburgh	Washington
Chicago	Manila	Paris	Yokohama

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in taels, dollars, and other currencies according to arrangement. Savings Deposits taken. All kinds of Trust Business undertaken.
Safe Deposit Boxes.
Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. B. Sun, Manager,
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager.

The Shanghai Commercial & Savings Bank, Ltd.

MEMBER OF THE SHANGHAI BANKERS' ASSOCIATION
Head Offices: 9 Ningpo Road

Capital	$2,500,000.00
Reserve	$450,000.00

Every description of modern banking and exchange business transacted—Personal, National & International.
Branches and Agencies:
In principal cities throughout China
Foreign Correspondents:

London	Yokohama	San Francisco
Paris	Tokyo	Singapore
Hamburg	New York	Osaka
Amsterdam	Chicago	Manila
Berlin	Seattle	Kobe
Auckland	Zurich	Honolulu

Cable Address: "COMSAVBANK"

K. P. CHEN,
General Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Capital Fully Paid Up	$2,500,000.00
Reserved Fund	$830,000.00

Head Office: Shanghai:—Peking & Kiangse Roads.
Manager's Office Cen. 2650.
Telephones: General Office Cen. 2613, 2614 and 2615.
Foreign Exchange Dept. C. 7413.
Branches: Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden, Harbin,
Foreign Correspondents: London, New York, San Francisco, Paris, Berlin, Zurich, Hamburg, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.
Domestic Correspondents at all principal cities in China.
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, and Yen.
Interest allowed on Deposit at call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.
Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.
Credit granted on approved securities.
SAVINGS ACCOUNTS 4% PER ANNUM
Every description of banking business transacted.
MODERN SAFE DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

EQUITABLE
Eastern Banking Corporation

Capital	U. S. $2,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits	U. S. $ 900,000

HEAD OFFICE:—No 37 Wall Street, New York
Members American Bankers' Association
CORRESPONDENTS:
The Equitable Trust Company of New York
NEW YORK LONDON PARIS
Mercantile Trust Co., San Francisco, Cal. The Northwestern National Bank of Portland, Ore. Citizens' National Bank, Los Angeles, Cal.

大通銀行
Shanghai Branch:
6 Kiukiang Road
Central 7944, 7945, 7946 & 7947.
Central 1424—Manager
CURRENT AND FIXED DEPOSITS ACCEPTED
Interest rates on application
Telegraphic Transfers and Drafts bought and sold.

JAS. J. ROGERS
Manager.

工業銀行 THE INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BANK, LTD.

Head Office: Hongkong. Branch Office: Hankow.

Shanghai Branch
51 Kiangse Road
Every description of banking transacted. Correspondents in China and abroad.
Telegraphic Address: "KONGSHAN."
Tel. Nos. C. 3204, 5816 and 6552.

CHU KINHOW, Manager.
Shanghai Branch

Weather Report

April 22.—High readings around the Bonins; the barometer is rising in N. China. Area of low pressures, and possibly depression developing to the S. of Yap. Fine weather in the North; rain in Chekiang and at Hankow; morning fog in Kwangtung and in the Gulf of Tongking. Light and variable breezes with local calms all along the coast.

April 23.—The pressure is at the normal level here, and rises in Shantung. Rain again about 6 a.m. The breeze is backing to E.N.E.

Sailed from Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO
Korea Maru .....Mar. 2
President Cleveland .....Apr. 1
Shinyo Maru .....Apr. 7
President Pierce .....Apr. 1
Siberia Maru .....Apr. 1
Nile .....Apr. 2

FOR VANCOUVER
Empress of Asia ....Mar. 2
Canadian Prospector ..Mar. 2
Philoctetes .....Apr. 3
Canadian Winner ....Apr.
Empress of Canada ..Apr.
Empress of Russia ..Apr. 2

FOR BRITISH COLOMBIA
Bratsburg .....Apr. 1

FOR SEATTLE
Shidzuoka Maru ....Mar. 2
Alabama Maru .....Mar. 2
President Madison ..Mar. 2
Wheatland Monata ..Mar. 2
President McKinley ..Apr.
Arabia Maru .....Apr. 1
Horaisan Maru .....Apr. 1
President Jackson ....Apr. 1
Arizona Maru .....Apr. 2

FOR PORTLAND, ORE.
West Cayote .....Apr.
West Kader .....Apr.
West Jessup .....Apr. 1

FOR NEW YORK
City of Lincoln .....Mar. 2
Esther Dollar .....Mar. 2
Slavic Prince .....Mar. 2
Heffron .....Apr.
Havana Maru .....Apr.

Victorious .....Apr. 5
Conxet .....Apr.
Munster Castle .....Apr. 1
Archer .....Apr. 1
Samaria .....Apr. 1
Karonga .....Apr. 2

FOR UNITED KINGDOM
Suwa Maru .....Mar. 2
Antilochus .....Mar. 3
Eurybates .....Mar. 3
Lyons Maru .....Mar. 3
Dongola .....Mar. 3
Pyrrhus .....April 1
Antilochus .....Apr.
Polyphemus .....Apr.
Deucalion .....Apr.
Fushimi Maru .....Apr.
Lycaon .....Apr. 1
Nankin .....Apr. 1
Doricstar, ...Apr. 1
Demodocus .....Apr. 1
Arapenor .....Apr. 1
Mishima Maru .....Apr. 2

FOR HAMBURG
Paris Maru .....Apr.
Carl Legien .....Apr.
Pembrokeshire .....Apr.
Pfalz .....Apr. 1
Rhineland .....Apr. 1

FOR COPENHAGEN
Afrika .....Mar. 3
Chile .....Apr. 2

FOR MARSEILLES
City of Smila .....Mar. 2
Porthos .....Mar. 3
Armand Behic .....Apr. 1

FOR TRIESTE
Trieste .....Mar. 2

FOR INDIA
Souden .....Mar. 3

Vessels Due

Amboise, *Marseilles* .....Apr. 27
Automedon, *Liverpool* ....Apr. 2
Chohei Maru, *Dairen* ....Apr. 3
C. Highlander, *Vancouver* ..Apr. 2
Faucang, *Tientsin* .....Apr. 2
Glenamoy, *London* .....Apr. 2
Hsin Peking, *Ningpo* ....Apr. 2
Hsin Ningshao, *Nongpo* ...Apr. 2
Hsin Kiangteen, *Ningpo* ..Apr. 2
Itsukuchima, *Chinwangtao* Apr. 2
Kaho, *Tientsin* .....Apr. 2
Karmala, *Kobe* .....Apr. 2
Kiangan, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Kianghsin, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Kiangwah, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Kiangyu, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Kiangfoo, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Kiangshun, *Hankow* .....May. 1
Kingsing, *Tientsin* .....Apr. 2
Kwongsang, *Hongkong* ....Apr. 2
Kumano Maru, *Osaka* .....Apr. 2
Kungwo, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Liangchow, *Hongkong* ....Apr. 2
Luenho, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Luenyi, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Namsang, *Calcutta* .....Apr. 2
Ngankin, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Nyanza, *London* .....Apr. 2
Nordstrand, *Chinwangtao* ..Apr. 2
Omi Maru, *Yokohama* .....Apr. 2
Paul Lecat, *Kobe* .....Apr. 2
Pingwo, *Hankow* .....Apr. 3
Poyang, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Pres. Grant, *Seattle* .....Apr. 2
Pres. Lincoln, *S. Francisco* Apr. 2
Pres. Wilson, *Hongkong* .. Apr. 2
Pres. Jefferson, *Hongkong* ..Apr. 3
Shantung, *Tsingtao* ....Apr. 2
Saikio Maru, *Dairen* .....Apr. 2
Shengking, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Shuntien, *Tientsin* .....Apr. 2
Sicilia, *Bombay* .....Apr. 2
Sinkiang, *Hongkong* .....Apr. 2
Suiwo, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Sunning, *Hongkong* .....May 1
Szechuen, *Hongkong* ....Apr. 2
Taiyo Maru, *Hongkong* ....May 1
Taksang, *Newchwang* ....Apr. 2
Takashima Maru *Yokohama* Apr.
Tuckwo, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Tungchow, *Tientsin* .....Apr. 2
Tungwah, *Tientsin* .....Apr. 2
W. Faralon, *San Francisco* Apr. 2
W. Nomentum, *Portland* ..Apr. 2
Werra, *Tsingtao* .....Apr. 2
West O'Rowa, *Portland* ..Apr. 2
Whangpu, *Hankow* .....Apr. 3
Wuchang, *Hankow* .....Apr. 2
Yawata Maru, *Osaka* .....Apr.
Yungshin, *Ningpo* .....Apr.

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BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Close

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. K. and S. B.	$1,125 B.
Chartered	£17/- S.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H. 625 B.
North China	Tls. 198
Union of Canton	H.$255 B.
Yangtsze	$25 B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 20¼
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H. 116½ B.
Hongkong Fire	H. 465 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H. 260
Indo-China Pref.	H. 40 B.
"Shell"	80s. 3d.
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 77
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 50 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 17¾ B.
Oriental Cons.	18/-
Raub	$7
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	Tls. 172 B.
Shanghai Dock.	Tls. 109
New Eng. Works	Tls. 8¾ B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.10 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 208½ B
Hongkong Wharf	H.$178 B.
Lands and Hotels	
S'hai Hotel, Ltd.	Tls. 46 B.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land	Tls. 118 B.
Shanghai Land.	Tls. 120
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 53 S.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 16¼ S.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 107½ B
Laou-kung-mow.	Tls. 25
Oriental	Tls. 7¾ B.
Shanghai Cotton.	Tls. 106 B.
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 245 Sa.
Green Island	Tls. 30¼ Sa
Langkats	Tls. 81½ B.
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
Whai Sumatra	Tls. 100 S.
Stores	
Ball and Holtz	Tls. 6¾ B.
Llewelyn	442½
Lane Crawford	Tls. 112¾ B.
Moutrie	$40 B.
Watson	Tls. 18 B.
Weeks	Tls. 13¼ S.
Rubbers (local)	
Bima	Tls. 6½ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.20 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 6 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2.90 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 21 B.
Batu Anam 1911	Tls. 0.90 B.
Bute	Tls. 0.85
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2.60 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.90 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 7
Cheng	Tls. 1.75
Consolidated	Tls. 2.85 B.
Dominion	Tls. 2¾ B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 11¾ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 14½ B.
Kapayang	Tls. 9 B.
Karan	Tls. 7¾
Kedah	Tls. 1.15 B.
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 1.20 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 14 B.
Padang	Tls. 5 B.
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.10 B.
Permata	Tls. 3
Repah	Tls. 0.82½ B
Samagagas	Tls. 0.70 B.
Seekees	Tls. 1 B.
Semambu	Tls. 1.40 B.
Senawang	Tls. 1.10 B.
S'hai Kiebang	Tls. 0.80
Shanghai Malay.	Tls. 2¼
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9½ B.
Shanghai Panang	Tls. 1.10
Sungala	Tls. 1.05
Sungei Duri	Tls. 9 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3.30
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.90
Taiping	Tls. 0.75
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.70 B.
Tebong	Tls. 1.40 B.
Ziangbes	Tls. 3. 65
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 823
Cathy Dairy	Tls. 14 S.
Shanghai Trams.	Tls. 155 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 40 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephone	Tls. 76
S'hai Waterworks	Tls. 175 B.

S. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

Shanghai Sharebrokers Association

Business Done

Shanghai, April 23, 1923

OFFICIAL

Anglo French Lands Tls. 120.00
Shanghai Lands Tls. 119.75
Batu Anam Tls. 0.90
Bukits Tls. 2.75

UNOFFICIAL

Langkats Comb. Tls. 32.00
Consolidated Tls. 2.90
Samagagas Tls. 0.75
Trams B. Tls. 157.50
Shanghai Lands Tls. 120.50
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.20

Money Exchange

Shanghai, April 23, 1923

Mexican Dollars
Market 72.2125
Native Interest 02
Shanghai Gold Bars 978
Touch 318
Copper Cash 246.500
Bar Silver 32⅞
Bank rate of Discount.... 3%
Paris on London 70.10
New York on London.. 465½

Banks Opening Selling Rates

London—
Tel. Transfer ..... 3s. 1½d.
Demand ..... 3s. 1⅝d.
New York—
Tel. Transfer 72¾
Demand 73

OPENING RATES
Hongkong and Shanghai Bank
Opening quotations 9:30 a.m.

BANKS SELLING RATES

London (T.T.) 3/1½
London (Demand) .. 3/1⅝
London 4 m-s 3/1⅝
India (T.T.) 231½
France (T.T.) 1095
America (T.T.) 72⅝
Hongkong (T.T.) 74
Japan (T.T.) 67¼
Batavia (T.T.) 188
Straits (T.T.) 75¼

BANK'S BUYING RATE

London 4 m-s Credits.. 3/3½
London m-s Docts 3/3¾
London 6 m-s Credits.. 3/4
London 6 m-s Docts ..
France 4 m-s .....1145 nom.
America 4 m-s L/c 76¾
Docs 77¼

Gold Dollars: Bank Buying Rates
@ 75=Tls. 133.33
@ exch. 72.6=Mex. $183.65
Sovereign Bank Buying Rate
@ 3s. 3d.=Tls. 6.15
@ exch. 72.6=Mex. $8.47

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR APRIL

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Exchange Fluctuations

Asia Banking Corporation

April 23, 1923

Spot and forward bar silver were each up 1-16d. in London on Saturday. The New York price advanced to 66½ and the London-New York cross rate declined to 465½.

Our official quotations here today were unchanged from Saturday.

Our market opened steady and became firm in the course of the day.

In the morning business in Sterling was done at 3s. 2⅝d. for April delivery, 3s. 2⅝d. for May and 3s. 2¼d. for June. Gold Dollars were done at 74⅝ for near and forward deliveries.

In the afternoon however, the market was firmer and closed with sellers of Sterling at 3s. 2½d. April, 3s. 2⅝d. May and 3s. 2⅝d. for June.

There were sellers of Gold Dollars for near and forward deliveries at 74⅞. There were sellers of Yen at 65⅝ for practically all deliveries with buyers at 65½.

Banks were quoting 3s. 3d., 76¼ and 1150 for Sterling, Gold Dollar and Franc bills.

India bought silver in London on Saturday and the market there is reported as closing steady.

New York also report their market as steady.

11th year 8%	96.00	96.00
96 millions 8%	26.60	26.10

International Banking Corporation

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Transactions

TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, April 23, 1923

OFFICIAL

H. & S. Banks $1,140.00
F. M. C. 8%/Debs. 1921 Tls. 103.00
Shanghai Loans Tls. 6.50
Langkats Comb. Tls. 31.50 Cash Tls. 32.25 May
Langkats (Single) Tls. 12.25
Senawangs Tls. 1.15
Gula Kalumpong Tls. 11.50
Semambus Tls. 1.45
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.10
Consolidated Tls. 2.05

UNOFFICIAL

H. & S. Banks $1,130.00
Langkats Comb. Tls. 31.50 Cash Tls. 32.00 April
New Eng. (Pref.) Tls. 5.15
Telephones Tls. 76.00
Anglo Javas Tls. 6.15
Anglo French Lands Tls. 120.00
Bukits Tls. 2.70
Langkats Comb. Tls. 33.00 June

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It. Lire 20.20=1 U. S. Dollar
It. Lire 124.30=100 Fr. Francs

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BUSINESS REPORTED

Shanghai, April 23, 1923

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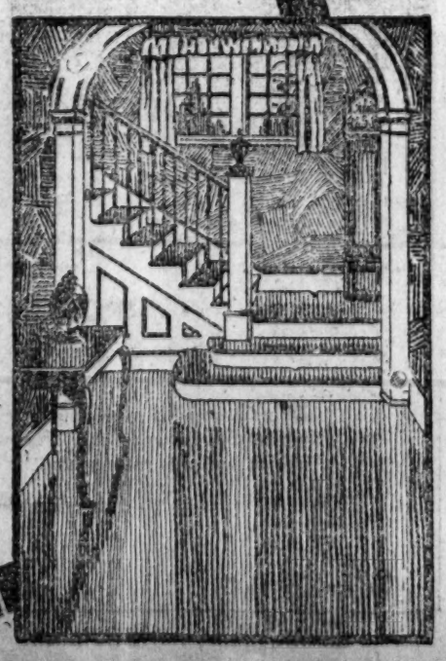

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WEATHER

Overcast weather, with mist or intermittent rain, along our coasts, and in our Valley. N. Esly breezes or winds, North of the Saddles. Small cyclonic circulation between the Saddles and Formosa. Variable winds in the South.

No Intervention

MANY aspects of the Ruhr situation and of German reparations still remain obscure, but one point seems now to be settled beyond controversy. No nation will intervene in behalf of Germany. The first attitude of the German Government was apparently that of expecting several Governments to rise spontaneously to its aid. Chancellor Cuno seemed to look for an almost universal protest against the French occupation of the Ruhr. Presently, to his grief, he discovered that the outside world was "callous" toward Germany.

Then began the sounding of other countries to see if one or more of them could not be induced to mediate. But all these German feelers have been unfeelingly stepped upon. The reason is that all other Governments have perceived what Mr. Bonar Law bluntly stated to be the truth in the House of Commons. The British policy, he said, must remain that of non-intervention because the French Government was "overwhelmingly supported by the French people and the two Chambers." Some have held M. Poincare personally responsible—a headstrong doctrinaire pursuing deliberately a course intended to ruin Germany. Not so, declared Mr. Bonar Law; any other Government in France, under any other Prime Minister, would have had to act precisely as M. Poincare has done.

The net result is to leave the German Government where it must act for itself, and act alone. Doubtless it could count upon considerate treatment of its proposals by the Allies, if such proposals were adequate and were put forward in good faith and with sufficient guarantees, but the initiative must be its own. In that matter Washington is at one with London, and Brussels with Rome. Even Moscow has failed Berlin. At last the German Government knows that the French are stating but the established fact when they say that the question lies solely between Germany and France. Any German offer will be considered and weighed at Paris, but it must be an offer that comes direct from Germany.

AGENTS CAN'T BE TRUSTED

Agent—"When are you going to pay for that sewing-machine I sold you?"

Mrs. Deerie—"Pay for it? Why you said that in a short time it would pay for itself!"—Kansas City Star.

THE REAL TEST

"A wise man sometimes has to change his mind."

"True," replied Senator Sorghum. "But what calls for his greatest wisdom is recognising the psychological moment for making the change."—Washington Evening Star.

RELATIVITY

"Waiter," said the customer, after waiting fifteen minutes for his soup, "have you ever been to the zoo?"

"No, sir."

"Well you ought to go. You'd enjoy seeing the turtles whiz past you."—The Juggler.

Japan has appropriated Yen 1,470,000 to be spent in spreading Japanese culture in China. The Japanese, it seems, are so sorry that the Chinese can't count above 21.

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The 'k' in Japanese kultur is as silent as it is in k-k-k-k-atie!

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Yesterday was the anniversary of the day on which somebody had to lick the dragon and somebody said 'Let George do it.' And George did it—and now he's a saint.

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QUATRIANS

A bee from bloom o' thistle
Takes home a nectar-load—
Therefore I always whistle
Upon a rocky road.

Dreams are bright flowers that night lets fall
From off her bosom, now and then;
Perchance she would not take them all
Beyond the loving eyes of men

Yes, he who only sips the wine
Of beauty never knows
Intoxication—the divine
Loveliness of a rose!

ALI SULTAN.

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Sir Conan Doyle has just written another Sherlock Holmes tale which revolves about the w.k. monkey glands and has been severely criticised by some of the namby-pamby critics as a result. We must needs differ from the critics. Sherlock, as we remember, is almost old enough to need 'em.

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REMARKABLE REMARKS

"Shakespeare's sole mention of China was a complementary reference in 'Measure for Measure'".—Chu Chao-hsin.

"He (Mr. S. J. Deeks) has made himself quite a figure in local circles. I'm not referring to the waist that has hidden his feet for so long".—Domino.

"It takes many kinds of people to make a world, but it takes only one kind—pretty, young people—to make a ballet".—W. Bruce Lockhart.

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"Restriction of Rubber Is Working Out Splendidly".—headline in The China Press. We didn't read David Arakie's story but we presume it was on the new long skirt styles.

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IMA HOOT NANNY SEZ:

'Darn few of us get round-shouldered from carrying other folks troubles."

* * *

Sugar now holds the center of the political stage in the United States which is the sweetest story ever told in Washington.

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WEATHER NOTE

A shower for the new Lodge of the Girl's Friendly Society was held yesterday afternoon. The day was most appropriate.

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Over 40 British insurance companies have withdrawn from Constantinople. Knowing the Turks we are still wondering whether they're too risky or too risque.

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A band of 1,000 brigands in Chungking is led by a woman according to a Reuter message. Now we'd like to see Reuter's report on how many men are led around by the nose by any of several Shanghai women.

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Yes, Little Shrinking Violette, people don't give a rap how you got your money—they're interested in how you spend it.

Harry

Correspondence

SING SONG GIRLS

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir: Mr. T. Y. Chang in his letter of the 20th inst. raises the chief point at issue and that is: Is a Sing Song girl a prostitute in the meaning of the act? I emphatically say 'No.'

The French physician Rey in his little book on "Public and Secret Prostitution" describes prostitution the act "by which a woman allows the use of her body by any man without distinction and for a payment made or expected." In this admirable definition we see the two most important characteristics of prostitution: complete indifference with regard to the person of the man demanding the use of her body, and the fact that the act is done for reward. According to Wharton's Law-lexicon, a prostitute is "a woman who indiscriminately consorts with men for hire." The Roman Ulpian said "that a prostitute was one who openly abandons her body to a number of men without choice, for money."

Now Mr. Chang knows very well that a Sing Song girl's revenue is made up of money paid for attendance at dinners (collected three times per annum), head money from mah jongg and poker, and profit from dinners, as can be proved by an audit of the cook boo of any first class Sing Song girl's house. Suppressio veri, suggestio falsi!

I don't deny the fact that lapses do take place in some houses occasionally, but if Mr. Chang wishes all those departing from the path of virtue to take out a brothel license, I am afraid the Council will be busy delivering same to many residents in this Settlement who gad about under the cloak of respectable society.

I accept Mr. Chang's challenge to disprove "that all Sing Song girls are prostitutes" as interpreted by the law. His libelous and obvious wilful misconstruction to bring discredit on the good name of all Sing Song girls have been made for the purpose of hoodwinking the foreigners and deprecating the Sing Song girl's case.

Mr. Tschang Ki-tong, at one time military attache in Paris describes the Sing Song Girl's house as "no less analogus to a European Cafe Chantant; the young Chinaman comes here for music, for tea, for agreeable conversation with the flower-maidens, who are by no means called upon to minister to the lust of their visitors."

Mr. Ku Hung-ming, the scholary veteran, in a recent article said, interalia, "Now many of my foreign friends have asked me why I am so fond of going to sing-song girl's houses. The reason I want to tell my foreign friends here is because, when I go to a Chinese Sing Song girl's house and more so still when I go to a Japanese Geisha house, there are awakened in me to use the words of the Frenchman Amiel, "reminiscences of an age of gold haunting the human heart, aspirations towards a harmony of things which every-day reality"—such as even the five o'clock tea party in Peking—"denies" to me." Indeed even now in my old age, when I hear a young Sing Song girl sing a song from some of our heroic historical dramas, I in a way feel like the hero in Tennyson's poem, when he says:

Maud in the light of her youth and her grace,
Singing of Death, and of Honor that cannot die,
Till I well could weep for a time so sordid and mean,
And myself so languid and base.

Finally then, I think people can now understand why I say that the utter hopelessness of the missionary-educated returned student in China is that he is so moral that he will not go to a Sing Song girl's house. For in that case he never gets awakened in him "reminiscences of an age of gold haunting the human heart" and he does not know what "aspirations towards a harmony of things" mean.

Now this "harmony of things"—in Chinese is what we Chinese call civilisation. Indeed if you want to see, to feel the spirit of the Chinese civilisation, the spirit of delicacy and harmony in the Chinese civilisation today, you must go either to a Chinese theater or to a Sing Song girl's house, while on the other hand, if you want to see, to feel the spirit of the modern European civilisation, the spirit of indecency and vulgarity which the Chinese returned students have brought into China, you must go to the Peking Pavilion and see how some of the foreign educated "new women" in China fling their bare legs in an operatic dance—or to a five o'clock tea-party in Peking and see some of the returned students dance the fox trot to the music of the gramophone! In short, if you want to see the true China today, you must go to the Sing Song girl's house. Rien n'est beau que le vrai!

Mr. Chang does not confine his vituperations to the Sing Song girls but like a dog suffering from hydrophobia snaps at everybody, sparing no one in his denunciations. His derisive and sarcastic remarks about the Chinese Advisory Committee were certainly uncalled for and unmerited.

I am reverting to my old nom de plume, not from any fear of disclosing my name, but as an act of courtesy to please my taipan who desires that I should use a nom de plume in correspondence to the press, but you Mr. Editor are at liberty to give my name to any who inquire for it. Enclosing my card,

I am, etc.,
Waung Mau,

Shanghai, April 23, 1923.

The Editor, CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir,

Any body who reads Mr. T. Y. Chang's letter published in your paper on the 21st instant cannot come to any conclusion other than that his criticism on Mr. Y. S. Ziar's letter is entirely unjust. The question whether a sing song girl is a prostitute or not is a highly controversial one in view of Mr. Calder's and Mr. Chang's letters which are as far from each other as the poles.

It would be unreasonable to say that the opinion of Mr. Calder on the subject and that of others thinking with him must necessarily be wrong, nor would it be reasonable to say that the opinion of Mr. Chang could not be otherwise but right.

Under the circumstances, Mr Chang as a reasonable and fair minded man must admit that a decision must be looked for in quarters more authoritative than the newspaper correspondence, especially when such decision affects the due enforcement of the municipal regulations and imposition of taxes on certain section of the community.

It is rather fortunate, or perhaps unfortunate for Mr. Chang, that there is a judicial decision of Mr. Blackburn on the subject: "A sing song girl is not a prostitute."

Further, there is an administrative declaration of the Council: "The regulations do not apply to sing song houses" The essence of Mr. Ziar's letter does nothing more than closely following that judicial decision and administrative declaration. There is nothing in his letter to indicate that he or his colleagues favor or disfavor the sing song business. It would be mean and malicious to construe his letter as if he favored such business. But to Mr. Chang's great credit he was anxious to emphasise that there was nothing in the decision of Mr. Blackburn to indicate the Court's favor of the sing song business.

It is, however, rather strange that not only did he not emphasise that point in Mr. Ziar's letter, but put a wrong construction on it. In saying this, I do not suggest that Mr. Chang would be so mean or so cowardly as to calculate that it was safer to attack an adviser of the Municipal Council than a member of the Mixed Court bench.

Mr. Chang seems to embrace the strange doctrine that if a man is fond of his sons and daughters, he should be unjust to the rest of the mankind. If a man desires to protect his children from prostitutes, it is in Mr. Chang's doctrine perfectly just to bring the sing song girls within the operation of the existing regulations concerning prostitutes, although under the decision of the Mixed Court they are not prostitutes. If any man dares to draw his attention to that decision, it is in his doctrine equally just to take him as favoring prostitution.

According to his doctrine if a jury acquits a man charged with murder or fraud because the act complained of does not amount to the one or the other of the crimes, the jurymen are not looking after the lives and properties of their children and ought to be thoroughly ashamed of themselves for favoring murder and fraud. However worthy and admirable Mr. Chang's doctrine may be from a father's point of view while not interested in charge other than as a fond father and an unjust juryman, it would hardly to be so worthy and admirable as he thinks when his own son or daughter is in the dock for the trial.

In spite of the judicial decision and administrative declaration, Mr. Chang is very sure of his proof that a sing song girl is a prostitute. It is, however, reasonable to presume that his proof as described in his letter is but hearsay or second-hand information when we remember that he is so fond of his children and so loth of the sing song house that he could have been there and told us what he had personally seen. Such proof, if proof we may call it, is worthless in the face of Mr. Calder's expert proof based on 18 years' personal experience. Now Mr. Chang either has or has not such experience of the sing song house life as to be deep and worth spoken of as proof

I believe that he has not and therefore his proof is worthless, my brief being based on the loath expressed by him against the sing song house. If my brief were to be wrong and if he had that experience, it would be interesting to speculate whether he thought he was "looking after his sons and daughters" when he was among the sing song girls.

Mr. Chang called on his readers to support his case by appealing to them through his and their children. I will not say that he was so short of an argument as to adopt such hysterics, but I do say that he was so conscientious of the weakness in his case that he had to appeal more to their prejudice than to their reason.

Mr. Chang is perhaps aware that to some quakers of even the present generation it is a sin to dance or to visit a theater and that until that idea has converted the majority of a particular society or won a legal enactment, it will be to that society nothing more than a narrow minded bigotry of a religious or moral fanatic.

Mr. Chang was full of inconsistencies, but I will only mention a few of them. In the face of the decision of Mr. Blackburn that a sing song girl is not a prostitute, Mr. Chang said, "There is, however, nothing in the ruling of the Mixed Court indicate—that the sing song girls are not prostitutes." Again, in one breath, he said that it would be difficult to convict a sing song girl an prostitute, and in another he treated all sing song girls as if they had all been duly tried and convicted and therefore ought to have been within the operation of the licensing regulations.

Mr. Chang can easily be charged with misrepresentation. But I will be generous with him by thinking that he had been so overpowered by his enthusiasm in his cause that he was disabled to think clearly or to distinguish a thing politically desirable from a thing legally decided or required.

The second paragraph of Mr. Chang's letter contained an ungenerous and uncalled for attack delivered through ignorance of facts and circumstances and out of sheer desire to mutilate his imagined opponent. It is an attack unworthy of a Christian convert or a Confucian follower. It would seem that Mr. Chang has discarded the teachings of his religion without acquiring the essential virtue of a new one.

Yours faithfully,
C. L. MOORE.

Shanghai, April 22 1923.

SUPPORTS MR. CHANG

Editor, THE CHINA PRESS

Dear Sir: There has already been considerable discussion of the sing song girl question by correspondence through the kindness of your valuable columns, and I, while deploring the fact that we, as Chinese ratepayers of the International Settlement of Shanghai, have to oppose the stand taken by our Advisory Board which is still in its infant stage and which requires our co-operation, consider it my duty to support the contention maintained by Mr. T. Y. Chang.

I wish to remind the members of the Chinese Advisory Board that their places in the Municipal Council were obtained by the Chinese ratepayers after a strenuous fight who certainly want them to work on more desirable subjects. It may be excusable for a foreigner to say that "sing song girls are pure sing song girls and not prostitutes," because they do not know the real condition. If it is a Chinese who makes or endorses this statement, I believe that he must know he is not only fooling others but also himself.

By the way I beg to reply to the correspondence of Mr. W. L. S. inserted in your paper on the 18th instant. Mr. W. L. S. declares that the cost of an entertainment in a sing song house is equal to that of restaurants and that it is only a "Wung Sung" who pays 4 to 10 times the amount. He further declares that guests are not under obligation to pay $3 each. In this connection I will say that the dinners supplied in sing song, houses are generally bought from restaurants and the restaurants charge them just the same as they charge other customers. If the charge in sing song houses is, as stated by Mr. W. L. S., the same as in restaurants, on what are the sing song girls living? Although the $3 contribution by each guest is not as binding, as an obligation in a written contract, the custom calls for it and anybody who cares to go to sing song houses will not spare it. If one fails to pay it, he will be called a "Quah Bee" fellow and people will be disgusted of him instead of welcoming him.

Thanking you very much in anticipation for your valuable space, I am,

Yours faithfully,
D. Y. Chu.

Shanghai, April 22, 1923.

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In The U. S. Court For China

Russo-Asiatic Bank, Plaintiff, vs. Max Wulfsohn and Co., Defendants.

Cause No. 2020, Civil No. 725. Order Filed April 21, 1923. Clerk.

No Margin Allowed — Harbin, November 5, 1919.

SOLD TO THE RUSSO-ASIATIC BANK

Seller	Amount	Unsance	Rate	Delivery
M. Wulfsohn & Co. New York	$50,000.-	T. T. Siberian money	186	15th March 1920 197

No. 1292 Entered for £ R. 9,300,000.- Y. 98,500

(Signed) M. Wulfson & Co. Manfred Wulfsohn

(i. e. Siberian)

Defendant demurs to the complaint on the ground that the action was not brought within two years as required for "implied contracts and those not expressed in writing." (1) Plaintiff on the other hand claims the benefit of the six year period provided for "actions based on a written promise, contract or instrument."

1. Limitation of actions: Contracts. An "exchange contract" in the ordinary form is an "instrument" within the meaning of Extraterritorial Remedial Code sec. 31 (3).

2. ID.: Id.: The "written contract" required by said clause need not fix the place of delivery, nor be phrased in terms intelligible to strangers without explanation.

3. ID.: Id.: The contrary rule applies only where the cause of action arises out of facts collateral to the instrument.

Richard T. Evans, Esq., for the demurrant.

Messrs. Schuhl and Schoenfeld, by Mr. Schuhl, contra.

Lobingier, Judge:

This action was brought on April 10, 1923, and is based on a series of what are known as "Exchange Contracts" a sample one of which reads as follows:

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(2) In support of his contention that the contracts are "not expressed in writing" defendant's counsel urges in his brief:

"These instrumens are not clear in themselves, not only are there certain technical terms and abbreviations which are not clear without explanation, but necessary terms are omitted. The place of delivery is nowhere mentioned. It does not appear what date was fixed, only one date being given for both."

But the specification of neither place nor date of performance is necessary to the creation of a valid written contract.

"A written agreement is valid though undated" (3) and "where the time, but no place, of payment is specified," nor "fixed by law, the rule is that the tenderer must seek the tenderee and make a tender to him wherever he can be found." (4).

Of course where an essential feature of a contract is omitted it cannot be regarded as a contract in writing though it might still be an "instrument" within the meaning of the Extraterritorial Remedial Code. The Supreme Court has held, e. g. that a memorandum is insufficient under the Statute of Frauds where the name of but one party is mentioned. (5) But each of these instruments specifies not only the names of both parties but the subject matter, the consideration and the undertaking. The fact that some of the terms are technical, and may require explanation to those not engaged in that particular line of business, does not prevent these instruments from satisfying the Statute of Frauds. (6) Indeed this Court has already held such instruments to be sufficient under that Statute (7), and there is authority for the view that an instrument sufficent thereunder, constitutes also a written contract within the Statute of Limitations. (8).

Defendant's main reliance is upon a decision (9) to the effect that an action on an implied warranty of title is not governed by that clause in the Statute of Limitation relating to written contracts, although the original transaction was evidenced by a bill of sale. But here the obligation to deliver is not implied. Delivery is specified for a fixed date over the signature of defendant and while the language is terse to the point of being cryptic, we may take judicial notice of the fact that it is well undestood by those engaged in that particular line of business. These instruments are certainly fuller in phraseology than ordinary checks, but, contrary to the writer's contention when practicing at the Bar, (10) courts have held such instruments to be written contracts within the language of the Statute of Limitations. (11) It has also been held that an account "audited and approved" and "certified to be correct" is sufficient to bring the instrument within such language, the no undertaking to pay is otherwise expressed. (12) The same effect has been given to a memorandum reading "I acknowledge to above account to be just." (13).

Nor is there ever unanimity in the decisions to the effect that if part of the agreement sued upon is implied it is governed by that clause of the Statute of Limitations applying to unwritten contracts. The following instrument is certainly less full than those here sued upon:

Contract.

Chicago, June 9, 1870.

I have this day bought of Robert Moir and Co. one hundred (100) barrels highwines, iron bound, at one dollar and seven cents ($1.07) per proof gallon.

(Signed.) Wilson Ames.

Yet of this it was observed: (14).

"There may be a contract in writing, although it contains no express promise to pay the consideration. Strictly speaking there is no such express promise in Ames's contract. But when a state of facts is acknowledged to exist which imports an obligation to pay, the law implies the obligation but the contract is not thereby reduced to parol. (15) Such a contract is found in the passbook of a depositor in a bank. The entries in the book are not express promises to pay, but the law implies such promises, and the liability thereunder has been held not to be barried in five years." (16).

So the liability of the indorser of a promissory note, though implied, has been held to constitute a written contract within this doctrine; (17) also the implied obligation to repay money whose receipt is evidenced by writing (18) and a corporate resolution for employment without provision for payment. (19).

On some of these points, it will be seen, there is a conflict of authority, but the occasion for the conflict does not affect this case. Here as in the authority cited (20) by defendant "there is an express agreement to pay" and the rule invoked by defendant is further explained there as applicable only

"where the promise or agreement to pay on which the action is based is not found in express terms or by fair implication in the writing, but the cause of action arises out of facts collateral to the instrument."

Such is not the case here, for each cause of action arises from facts recited in the instruments.

Counsel urges that on the ground of public policy litigants in China should present their claims promptly because of the difficulty in preserving the evidence, etc. But a stronger consideration, we think, is that of upholding a commercial custom as firmly fixed as that embodied in the exchange contract. To deny it, the character of a written contract would clearly impair its usefulness and tend to demoralise an important branch of business.

We hold these instruments to be sufficient under the longer period of limitation allowed by the Extraterritorial Remedial Code. The demurrer is accordingly overruled and defendant is given 20 days to answer.

By the Court,
CHARLES S. LOBINGIER,
Judge.

(1) Extrater. Remedial Code, sec. 31 (5).
(2) Id., (3).
(3) Corpus XIII, 308.
(4) Id., 666.
(5) Grafton vs. Cumming, 98 U. S. 100, 25 L. ed., 366. Cf. Board vs. Shipley, 77 Ind., 553.
(6) Salmon Falls Co. vs. Goddard, 14 How (U.S.) 446, 14 L. ed., 493.
(7) Ezra v. Glemby, 2 Extrater, 122.
(9) Duncus vs. Murczer (Mont.) 87 Inc., 612.
(10) Connor vs. Becekor, 56 Neb., 170, 76 N. W., 893.
(11) Connor vs. Becker, 56 Neb., 170, 76 N. W., 893; Haynes vs. Wesley, 112 Ga., 668, 37 S. E., 990. But of Blades vs. Bank, 101 Ky., 163; 40 S. W. 248.
(13) Bannickson vs. Brown, 8 Cal., 57 Cf. Atlantic Trust Co. v. Canal and Irrigation Co., 85 Fed., 975, 983.
(13) Neighbor vs. Simmons, 3 Blackf. (Ind), 75.
(14) Amen vs. Moll, 37 Ill. App., 58.
(15) Ashley vs. Vischer, 24 Cal., 322, 85 Am. Dec., 65.
(16) Jessoy vs. Horn, 64 Ill., 379.
(17) Hoffman vs. Hollingsworth, 10 Ind. App., 353, 37 N. E., 960; Murphy vs. Gage, Tex. Civ. App. 21, S. E., 296, Contra Chipman vs. Morrill, 20 Cal., 130.
(18) Ill. Plumb vs. Campbell, 129 Ill., 101, 18 N. E., 799. Miss Fowkes vs. Lea, 84 Miss., 509, 36 S. W., 1036, 63 L. R. A., (925); Washington vs. Soria, 73 Miss., 665, 19 S. W., 495.
Tex. Sanborn vs. Plowman, 20 Tex. Civ. App., 484, 49 S. W., 639.

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Cal. Thomas vs. Pacific Beach Co., 115 Cal., 136, 46 Pac., 899; Patterson vs. Doe., 130 Cal., 333, 62 Pac., 569.
Ga. Small vs. Jones, 113 Ga., 521, 75 S. E. 605.
(19) Texas W. Ry. Co. vs. Gentry, 69 Tex., 625, 8 S. W., 98. Contra McCarthy vs. Land and Water Co., 111 Cal., 328, 43 Pac., 956.
(20) Curtis vs. Sexton, 201 Mo., 217 100 S. W., 17.

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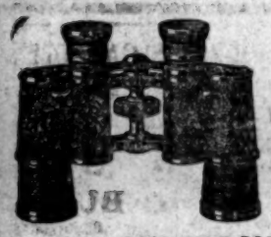

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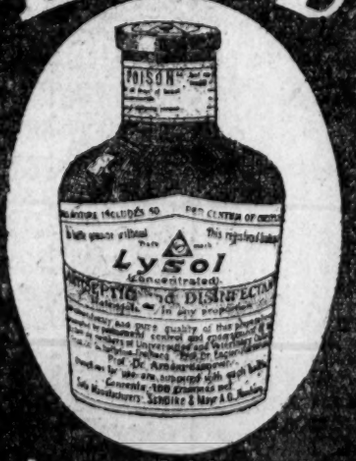

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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. LUENHO, 2,863 Tons, Captain Woodget, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Thursday, April 26, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. KUNGWO, 4,635 Tons, Captain Gibb, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Friday, April 27, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Saturday, April 28, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone: Central 241. Extensions for Freight and Passenger Departments.

For Southern Ports

NINGPO.—The Steamer HSIN KIANGTEEN, Captain Randbye, will leave on Tuesday, April 24, at 4:30 p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

WENCHOW.—The Str. FEIMING, Capt. Manley, will leave on Tuesday morning, April 24. For For Foreight or Passage apply to C.M.S.N. CO.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & TIENTSIN.—The Str. HSINMING, Captain Taylor, will leave on Tuesday morning, April 24. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

NEWCHWANG DIRECT.—The Str. TOONAN, Capt. Nielson, will leave on Tuesday, April 24. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

CHINWANGTAO Direct.—The Kailan Mining Administration, will Despatch the s.s. KAIPING on April 25. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agents, 32, (late 1) Jinkee Road, Tel. Central 317.

Shipping Items

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The C.M. s.s. Kiangan left Hankow on Saturday and is due in Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kingyu left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The I-C. s.s. Kungwo left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow yesterday and is due in Shanghai on Thursday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangfoo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow today and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangwah will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang left Hongkong on Saturday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Liangchow will leave Hongkong today and is due in Shanghai on Saturday.

The I-C. s.s. Kwongtung is due in Shanghai from Hongkong, Swatow and Ningpo on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen will leave Hongkong tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Haean left Wuhu for Wenchow with full load of rice on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsincheng left Lungkow for Hongkong and Canton on Sunday.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Taksang is due in Shanghai from Newchwang tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien left Tientsin yesterday and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Thursday.

The K.M.A. s.s. Nordstrand (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Friday and is due in Shanghai today.

The K.M.A. s.s. Itsukushima Maru (chartered) left Chinwangtao on Sunday and is due in Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei this afternoon.

The I-C. s.s. Fusang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei on Friday.

The C.M. s.s. Tungwah from Tientsin, left Chefoo on Sunday and is due in Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Heinfung left Chefoo for Tientsin on Saturday.

The C.M. s.s. Kaho will leave Tientsin today and is due in Shanghai via Chefoo on Friday.

The C.N. s.s. Shantung will leave Tsingtao tomorrow and is due in Shanghai on Friday.

The D.K.K. s.s. Sakio Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao tomorrow morning and will dock at the Whangpoo Wharf. The steamer is to sail for Tsingtao and Dairen at 7 o'clock Thursday morning.

JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano Maru is due in Shanghai from Osaka, Kobe and Moji tomorrow and will dock at the N.Y.K. Mail Wharf.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Nagasaki Thursday morning and will dock at the Wayside Wharf.

INDIAN LINES

The B.I. s.s. Gurna left Calcutta on Sunday morning, April 15, and is due to arrive in Shanghai about May 11.

The P. & O. s.s. Dogra left Bombay on April 10 and is due in Shanghai about May 3.

The P. & O. s.s. Soudan is expected to leave Bombay for Colombo, Singapore, Hongkong and Shanghai on April 29.

The I-C. s.s. Namsang is due in Shanghai from Calcutta, Straits and Hongkong today and will sail for same ports via Moji and Kobe on Thursday.

The B.I. s.s. Gandara, from Calcutta, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai about May 4.

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia, from Bombay, left Hongkong at noon on Sunday and is due to arrive in Shanghai about tomorrow afternoon.

EUROPEAN LINES

The P. & O. s.s. Sardinia left London on Thursday, March 29 at 3 p.m. and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on May 9.

The M.M. s.s. Amboise, with the French mail of March 23, left Saigon on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on April 27.

The M.M. s.s. Angers was due to leave Marseilles on Friday, April 20, is expected to arrive in Shanghai on May 25.

The M.M. s.s. Cordillere left Marseilles on April 6 and is due in Shanghai on May 11.

The P. & O. s.s. Delta left London at 2 o'clock Friday afternoon, April 13, and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about May 23.

The S.E. s.s. Sumatra, from Gothenburg for Shanghai, left Hamburg on April 6 and is due here on May 19.

The S.E. s.s. Ceylon, from Gothenburg for Shanghai, left Suez on March 23 and is due in Shanghai on May 8.

The N.D.L. s.s. Schlesien left Antwerp on April 14 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about the end of May.

The Glen Line m.v. Glenamoy, outbound from London, left Singapore on Wednesday, April 18 and is due in Shanghai on April 27.

The P. & O. s.s. Nyanza, from London on March 15 with mail, is expected to leave Hongkong today at noon, and is due to arrive in Shanghai about Friday.

The P. & O. s.s. Devanha is due to leave London next Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via ports on June 6.

The Ellerman and Bucknall s.s. City of Poona will leave Shanghai for Marseilles, London, Rotterdam and Hamburg early this morning.

The M.M. s.s. Amboise, with the French mail of March 23, will arrive at Hongkong at 8 o'clock this morning and is expected in Shanghai on Friday morning.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat left Kobe at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon and is due in Shanghai about 7 a.m. tomorrow. The vessel will dock at the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf and is to sail for Marseilles via ports at 10:30 a.m. Friday. Passengers may embark at the wharf after 8 o'clock and trunks should be delivered to the Company's office before Thursday noon.

The P. & O. s.s. Karmala is due in Shanghai from Kobe tomorrow morning and will sail for London and ports on Saturday. The tender Gutzlaff with outgoing passengers will leave the Customs Jetty at 9:30 o'clock Saturday morning, and heavy baggage should be delivered to the lighter at the Customs jetty between 2 and 3 p.m. Friday.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar s.s. Stuart Dollar is due to leave Vancouver for the Orient on April 25.

The Ard. O. Line s.s. Scottsburg left Singapore for Marseilles on April 7.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Madison was due to leave Seattle on Friday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Yokohama and Kobe on May 7.

The C.P.S. s.s. Empress of Asia was due to leave Vancouver on Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Japan ports on May 4.

The P.M. s.s. President Taft was due to leave San Francisco on Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe on May 9.

The China Mail s.s. Nanking was due to leave San Francisco on Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Honolulu and Japan ports on May 14.

The S. & B. s.s. West Faralon is due in Shanghai from San Francisco and Los Angeles next Thursday, and will sail for Hongkong, Manila and Singapore on Friday.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Grant is due in Shanghai from Seattle, Yokohama and Kobe tomorrow morning [illegible] at the China Merchants' Central Wharf about 8:30 o'clock. The liner brings 1,754 bags of mail and 2,600 tons of cargo for this port, and will sail for Hongkong and Manila at 6 o'clock Friday morning.

The P.M. s.s. President Lincoln is due in Shanghai from San Francisco, Honolulu, Yokohama and Kobe early tomorrow morning and will probably dock at the China Merchants' Lower Wharf. The vessel brings 1,300 bars of silver, 107 bags of mail Shanghai and is to sail for Hongkong and Manila on Friday morning.

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Apr. 21—Tomi M. for Dairen
Apr. 22—Emp. of Russia for V.
Apr. 22—Nile for San Francisco
Apr. 22—Pingwo for Hankow
Apr. 22—Whangpu for Hankow
Apr. 22—Takee M. for Hankow
Apr. 22—Heinch? for Foochow
Apr. 22—Shantung for T'sao
Apr. 22—Tungching for W.C.T.
Apr. 22—Yingchow for Fukow
Apr. 22—Bebmohr for Japan
Apr. 22—Levant for V'tok
Apr. 22—Helyet M. for Japan
Apr. 22—Cambada for Japan
Apr. 22—Fokien for N. C'toms
Apr. 22—Juno for Singapore
Apr. 22—Eurylochus for Japan
Apr. 22—Tseangtih for Hankow
Apr. 22—Endicott for Manila
Apr. 22—Luchow for A. H. C.
Apr. 22—Hsinkong for C. T'sin
Apr. 22—Pehtun for T'sintin
Apr. 22—Chohei M. for T. Dairen
Apr. 22—U.S.S. Black Hawk for Hankow.
Apr. 22—U.S.S. Hulbert for Hankow.
Apr. 22—U. S. S. Preble for Hankow.
Apr. 22—U. S. S. Pruitt for Hankow.
Apr. 22—U. S. S. Sicard for Hankow.
Apr. 22—U. S. S. Stewart for Hankow.
Apr. 22—U. S. S. Wm. B. Preston for Hankow
Apr. 23—Arizona M. for Seattle
Apr. 23—Karonga for New York
Apr. 23—Men or for Hankow
Apr. 23—Wakasa M. for Japan
Apr. 23-Wakamatsu M. for Wuhu
Apr. 23—England M. for Japan
Apr. 23—H. Peking for Ningpo
Apr. 23—H. Ningshao for Ningpo

Steamers Arrived

Apr. 21—Haitien from N. C'toms
Apr. 21—Chengtu from Antung
Apr. 21—Toonan from N'chwang
Apr. 22-H. Ningshao from Ningpo
Apr. 22—H. Peking from Ningpo
Apr. 22—Ryusho M. from Japan
Apr. 22—Arizona M. from H'kong
Apr. 22—Wosang from H'kong
Apr. 22—Stagen from Hongkong
Apr. 22—Nanning from Hongkong
Apr. 22—Taketoyo M. from Jap.
Apr. 22—Hwahting from C'tao
Apr. 22—Loongwo from Hankow
Apr. 22—Mokan from Hankow
Apr. 22—Hanping from Hankow
Apr. 22—Chungking from H'kow
Apr. 22—Kiangteen from H'kow
Apr. 22—Changon from Hankow
Apr. 22—Tseangtah 2 from H'kow
Apr. 22—Yohyang M. from H'kow
Apr. 22—U. S. S. Villalobos from Cruise.
Apr. 22—Kanchow from H'kong
Apr. 22—E. Carlotto from cruise
Apr. 22—Yushun from Dairen
Apr. 22—Yamashiro M. from Jap.
Apr. 22—Rokko M. from Japan
Apr. 23—Tamom M. from Japan
Apr. 23—Lorestan from V'tok
Apr. 23—Changchow from Swatow
Apr. 23—Shanghai M. from Jap.
Apr. 23—Woosung from Hankow
Apr. 23—Chuentiao from Cruise
Apr. 23—U.S.S. Huron from Kobe
Apr. 23—Norfolk M. from H'kong
Apr. 23—Fukuyo M. from T'tao
Apr. 23—Tjilliwong from Dairen

Meteorological Reports

April 24, 1923. SICCAWEI

	April 8.		April 9.	
Sun rises today at 5.39	30.13	30.17	30.07	30.08
Sun sets today at 18.23	†0.35	†0.39	†0.19	−0.07
(inches	†0.25	†0.07	−0.06	−0.14
Barometer (variation for 24 hrs.	NNE	ENE	ESE	SE
at 32° F. (variation for 13 hrs.	12.4	8.7	12.4	26.1
Wind—direction	60°1	45°2	43°7	58°6
Wind—miles per hour	44	74	91	55
Temperature (Fahr.)	1	0	3	1
Humidity %	—	—	—	—
Nebulosity. (0 to 10)				
Barometer (mean 4 obs.)				

April 8

SICCAWEI ABRIDGED REPORT		Mean.1922	24 hrs. Variation	Previous average same period
Total rainfall since Jan. 1 to midnight before last (inches)		30.07	†0.21	30.06
Temperature (Fahr.)	(Min. 53°4) (Max. 64°2)	58°8	−3°4	53°8
Rainfall (inches)		7.91	0.03	8.71

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Iyo Maru ..... May 24

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Kitano Maru ..... May 19
*Toyohashi Maru ..... May 4
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Apr. 29	— Portland, Ore.	W. Nomentum	Am. Lumber Co
Apr. 30	— Portland, Ore.	West O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co
Apr. 30	— New York via Sue	Atreus	Br. B. & S.
May 1	— San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
May 1	— Seattle	†P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
May 4	— Tacoma	Manila Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
May 4	— New York, Boston	Soanet	Am. Adl. O. Line
May 4	— Los Angeles, etc.	Elkridge	Am. S. & B.
May 5	— Seattle	Kaga Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
May 7	— Vancouver	of Australia	Br. C.P.S.
May 10	— New York via Suez	Eurylochus	Br. B. & S.
May 10	— New York	Tatuoka Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
May 11	— Portland, Ore.	Pawlet	Am. Lumber Co.
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May 13	— Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
May 15	— Vancouver	Grace Dollar	Br. Dollar Co.
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May 5	— London, etc.	Hakozaki M	Jap. N. Y. K.
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May 9	—	Hongkong	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
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May 18	—	Hongkong	E. of Canada	Br. C. P. S
May 21	—	Hongkong	Manila P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
May 22	—	Hongkong	Korea M.	Jap. T. K. K.
May 25	—	Hongkong	Manila P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. Co

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Apr. 24	—	Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 24	—	Newchwang	Toonan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 24	5.30	Antung, N'chwang	Kashing	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 24	D.L.	Antung	Woshing	Br. J. M. & Co
Apr. 24	5.30	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Chengtu	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 25	D.L.	Chefoo, N'chwang	Nanning	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 25	D.L.	Tsingtao	Tingsang	Br. [illegible]
Apr. 25	—	Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K. M. A.
Apr. 26	D.L.	Tientsin	Fenshen	Br. B & S
Apr. 26	D.L.	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Waishing	Br. J. M. & Co.
Apr. 26	7.00*	Tsingtao, Dairen	Saikio Maru	Jap. D.K.K.
Apr. 27	—	Dairen	Daishin Maru	Jap. O.S.K.
Apr. 28	10.00*	Tsingtao	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S
Apr. 28	10.00*	W. C'foo, T'tsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 29	10.00*	Antung, N'chwang	Chusan	Br. B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Apr. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Fr. B. & B.
Apr. 24	D.L.	Chungking, etc.	Wanhsien	Br. B & B
Apr. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Changon	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Apr. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangteen	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Woosung	Br. B & S
Apr. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br. J. M. & Co.
Apr. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br. B & S
Apr. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Apr. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br. J. M. & Co.
Apr. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Apr. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wechang	Br. B & S
Apr. 29	10.00*	Pukow	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.
Apr. 29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangtoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 30	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Apr. 20	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wanhsin	Br. B. & S.
May 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
May 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
May 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Shengking	Br. B & S

M. N.—MIDNIGHT D.L.—DAYLIGHT * S.S.
*CARRYING MAIL.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Apr. 25	5 p.m.	Venezia	(specially marked)	
Apr. 28	2 p.m.	P. Wilson	S. Francisco	May 17

TO STRAITS, INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
Apr. 27	8 a.m.	P. Lecat	Marseilles	June 2
Apr. 28	7.30 a.m.	Karmala	Marseilles	June 2

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok & Siberia	Today	5 p.m.	via Trains
Antung	Apr. 23	9 p.m.	Wosang
Antung	Today	4 p.m.	Kashing
Chefoo and Tientsin	Today	9 p.m.	Nanchang
Tsinatao	Today	9 p.m.	Tingsang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	4 p.m.	Chengtu
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Apr. 25	9 p.m.	Waishing
Tientsin	Apr. 25	9 p.m.	Fengtien
Tsingtao and Dairy	Apr. 25	5.30 p.m.	Saikio Maru
Tsingtao	Apr. 28	8.30 a.m.	Sinkiang
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Apr. 28	8.30 a.m.	Shuntien
Antung	Apr. 29	8.30 a.m.	Chusan

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	9 p.m.	Esang
Amoy and Swatow	Apr. 25	9 p.m.	Klungchow
Amoy	Apr. 25	9 p.m.	Sufyang
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 25	5 p.m.	Venezia
Foochow	Apr. 26	7.30 a.m.	Ningshin
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 26	9 p.m.	†P. Grant
Hongkong & Canton	Apr. 27	8 a.m.	Paul Lecat
Swatow	Apr. 28	8.30 a.m.	Shantung
Amoy	Apr. 29	8.30 p.m.	Tingchow

MISCELLANOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
River ports	Today	9 p.m.	via Trains
Japan ports	Today	5 p.m.	Yamashiro M.
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Apr. 26	5 p.m.	P. Grant
Manila, Australia and N. Zealand	Apr. 26	5 p.m.	P. Lincoln
Japan ports	Apr. 26	7 p.m.	Nagasaki Maru
Japan ports	Apr. 27	7 p.m.	Kumano Maru
Japan ports	Apr. 28	10 a.m.	Haruna Maru
Germany, Ports	Apr. 28	5 p.m.	Havenstein

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
O D W	Feb. 11	Bainy	Fr. Gun-boat
Mc.W.		Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
	Apr. 22	E.Carlotto	Ital. Gun-boat
U.S.N.B.	Apr. 22	Huron	Am. Gun-boat
McW.	Mar. 23	Mantis	Br. Gun-boat
f C	Mar. 13	Seb. Caboto	Ital. Gun-boat
	Mar. 15	Scarab	Br. Gunboat
	Apr. 23	Villalobos	Am. Gun-boat

Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1923

(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are equal at noon and midnight).
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 8¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
5h. 9m.	6ft. 0in.	5h. 36m.	3ft. 1in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tides are higher than the evening tides).
Approximate rise, 8½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
4	4	4	32

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
11.32 a.m.	0.28 a.m.	5h. 28m.	6h. 30m.	4h. 43m.	7h. 15m.

Mean Barometric Pressure.
April 30.00 in.
762.0 mm.

Passengers Arrived

Per C.N. s.s. Woosung from Hankow: Mr. and Mrs. Manley, Mr. and Mrs. Nerrier, Dr. and Mrs. Gamewell, Mr. and Mrs. Speekly and child, Mr. and Mrs. Dye, Mrs. I. T. Eldridge, Miss Wend, Dr. Fellows, Messrs. Weston, McEuen; from Kiukiang: Mr. Ferguson.

Per R.Y.F. s.s. Simercpol from Vladivostok: Ekaterina and Verotid Kuper, Margarith and Victorid Kuper, Rosa Slemina Emilia Sudin, Grigori Tepluhin, Filsiego.

Per C.N. s.s. Hsin Peking from Ningpo: Mr. and Mrs. Massop, Mr. and Mrs. Carey, Messrs. Jowett, Moran, R. A. Bell, A. Watson, T. Lamport.

Per P.C. s.s. Loongwo from Hankow and ports: Dr. and Mrs. Tatchell, Messrs. Morris, Gregory, Giretz, Dr. Lasvy, Ms. Holmswood and infant, Mr. and Mrs. Livingston, Mrs. G. Nelson, Mr. McCoy, Dr. Lowey, Mr. E. Quixley.

Per C.N. s.s. Kanchow from Hongkong: Mr. W. Bird; from Amoy: Messrs. Ying, Zee, Brucher, Caven, Miss Ting, Dr. and Mrs. Chee, Master Chin.

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AUCTIONS

MIDDLE SALESROOM
USEFUL HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES ETC. TO BE SOLD BY PUBLIC AUCTION ON TUESDAY, 24TH APRIL, 1923, COMMENCING AT 10 A.M.
Comprising:
Kodak camera with leather case, Travelling cases, Satin embroidered cushion covers, Satin embroidered table cloth, Brown leather suit case, Trouser press, Golf clubs with bag, Carpet, Trunks, Large steamer trunk, Arm chairs, Old motor car tyres, Coffee boiler, Corner seat, Fire grate, Stair carpet, Private rickshaw with lamps, Child's perambulator, Cloth covered sofa, White painted mirror back dressing table, Heating stove, Pictures, Child's push cart, Croquet set, Double and single bedstead with mattress, Electric table fan, Alarm clock, Gramophone records, Gas stove, Wicker child's cot with mattress, Round table, Books, Kitchen utensils, Rattan ware, wicker table with stand, SILVER INLAID VASES WITH CASE, Porcelain ware, and sundries etc., etc.
also
A Large assortment of Gent's and Lady's clothing, Boots, and Shoes, etc., etc.

At No. 3 THORBURN ROAD
On Wednesday, April 25th at 10 a.m.
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:
Hall.—Mirror back hat and umbrella stand, Matting etc.
Drawing Room.—Skin Rugs, Rattan bookshelf, Arm Chairs, Table, curtains, Books etc.
Dining Room.—Carpet, Sideboard, Side table, Extension dining table, Chairs, Sofa, E. P., Crockery and Glass ware, Table cloth etc.
Bedrooms.—Double and Single Bedsteads, Mirror door Wardrobes, mirror back dressing tables, Washstands, Small desks, bentwood chairs, tables, table lamps, oil stove, camp bed, curtains, bed, bed linen, Stove, Water boiler etc.
Kitchen.—Cooking stove, Ice chest, filter, cupboards, tables, etc.
Electric fittings throughout.
On view Tuesday, April 24th

IN FRONT SALESROOM
On Wednesday, April 25th, 1923, at 10 a.m.
EXCELLENT HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
Comprising:
1 Suit, White enamelled Bedroom Furniture, 1 Suite Oak Bedroom Furniture, Imitation leather couch and arm chairs, Teakwood bevelledged mirror Wardrobe, Teak marble top washstand, Dressing table, Commode, White enamelled iron twin bedstead with spring and other mattress, white enamel wooden bedstead, Gramophone record cabinet stand, Large glass show cases, Hall coat rack, Bookcase, Mirror back sideboard, China Closet, heating stove, chandelier, Teak overmantel, Gramophone, Folding go-cart, Remington and Smith Premier Typewriters, Bicycles, Cameras, Chinese Curios, Porcelain Basins, Red Tientsin Carpet and Rug, Tennis rackets, One Velvet Pile Carpet, armchairs, Drawn work table linen, Cloisonne ware, Books, Glassware, Crockery, E. P. Ware, etc.
also
1 Large Wall Clock, 1 Royal Typewriter, New Portable Gramophones, New Bedsheets and Pillow Cases, Ladies' and Men's Waltham Gold, Gold Filled, Silver and Nickel watches, 2 mother of pearl Shell Opera Glasses, 1 Hansa 8.5 x 16 Binocular.

CARGO AUCTION
On Wednesday, 25th April,
Commencing at 2:30 p.m.
Will sell in our Cargo Salesroom the following:
4 new ¼ H.P. Alternating Current Motors, 2 cases Candlesticks, 30 Electric flat irons, 45 dozen American turnscrews, 5 dozen Screw Spanners, 1 case Iron buckles, 10 large Iron Drums, 25 cases Sceptre Soap, 3 cases Oriental washing soap, 2 cases Marble soap, 1 case Diamond soap, 20 boxes Typewriter ribbons, 24 bags Antimony Ore, 1 case Rubber sole, 2 drums Soda Ash, 1 barrel packing, 100 cases Evaporated Cream, 200 cases German Beer, 99 bottles Salad Oil, 80 tins Herring, 1 box Chocolate, 114 lbs. Gruyere Cheese, 5 tins Boiled Rabbits, 34 tins Sausages, 106 tins Egyptian Cigarettes.
also
New German Money Boxes, 1 Scale, 1 Old Motor Boat Engine, 9 Parcels White Cotton Embroideries, 3 Dozen Black Box Calf, 2 Dynamo.

FAVOURED WITH INSTRUCTIONS FROM CAPT. H. PETERSEN
will sell by Public Auction within the premises
On Friday, 27th April, 1923, commencing at 10 a.m. and continuing at 2:30 p.m.
the whole of the
SUPERIOR AND ARTISTIC HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE AND SUNDRIES
COMPRISING:—
HALL Linoleum, Teak mirror back hat stand, Rattan settee, pictures, etc., etc., etc.
DRAWING ROOM. Green Axminster Carpet 16 x 13, Brass fender, fire brasses, mantel mirror with picture, Cut glass vases, French porcelain vases, Pictures, Teak Green Velvet covered Drawing Room Suite, Teak centre table, Bamboo palms, Blackwood Curio Cabinet, Green Plush curtains Lace Curtains, Cushions, Sluyt work table, Teak Card table, Music stand, Brass curtain poles, Cosy corner, etc., etc., etc.
DINING TABLE. Axminster Carpet 14½ x 17½, Fire brasses, Coal scuttle, Teak Mantel mirror, Iron Mantel Clock, Brass ornaments, Carved Solid Teak mirror back Sideboard, Cellerette, Extension dining table, Leather covered dining chairs, MIRROR BACK SILVER WARE CABINET WITH PLATE GLASS SHELVES and Screen to match, Red Lacquered table, Blue and white porcelain garden seats, Teak side table, Brass Samovar, Muslin Curtains, Plush covered arm chairs, Brass lamp shade, Danish Cut glass table set, E. P. ware, Crockery and Glass ware, etc., etc., etc.
STAIRS and LANDING. Fine Axminster Carpet, Linoleum, Teak Linen Cupboard, Tables, etc.
STUDY. Teak Writing desk, Roll top desk, Oak Oblong table Teak card table, Oakstained Bookcase, Books, Teak carved smoking cabinet, Plush covered arm chairs, Couch Curtains, Clock, Brass wall plate, Velvet pile carpet, etc., etc., etc.
Contents of 2 Bedrooms. 2 Brass mounted white enamelled Double Bedsteads, White Polished Teak inlaid Bedroom Suite by Tao Chong and Co. Mirror back wall cabinet, Japanese embroidered fire screen, Toilet crockery, Lace curtains, Sofa, Mantel Picture, Serge curtains, Teak white enamelled mirror door wardrobe, mirror back dressing table, Octagon table, curtain stretcher, Vases, plush table cover, etc., etc., etc.
Pantry and Kitchen. Ice Chest, Meat safe, Cupboard, Dresser, Tile top Table, Cooking stove, Cooking utensils, etc., etc., etc.
also
1 Fine tone Iron framed Piano by E. Krauss Stuttgart.
1 German Tile Stove, 1 Salamandre Stove.
2 16" G. E. Oscillating table fans.
1 Copenhagen Chimes Clock, Very fine Cut glass ware.
On View on Wednesday afternoon and Thursday.

Favoured with instructions from The Concerned will sell by Public Auction within the premises
No. 54 Range Road
On Friday, 27th April, commencing at 10 a.m.
the whole of the Superior Household Furniture and Sundries
Hall.—Linoleum, Carved Wall Bracket, Hat and Umbrella stand, etc.
Dining Room.—Marble clock, Pictures, Red plush covered Couch and Arm Chairs, Bevelled mirror back Sideboard, Cellerette, Extension Dining Table, Plush seated dining chairs, Writing desk, Table Brass fender, Cinematograph with acetylene light and films complete, Teak mantel mirror, Teak Mirror back Silver ware cabinet with plate glass shelves, Teak extension dining table, Bookcase, Roll top desk, Japanese Screen, E. P. Ware, Crocker Blue satin curtains etc., etc.
Contents of 2 Bedrooms.—1 Oakstained inlaid Bedroom Suite fitted with bevelled mirrors, White enamelled brass mounted double bedstead, Arm Chairs, Mirror, Carved [illegible] mirror door wardrobe, Large mirror back dressing [illegible] marble top washstand, Chest of drawers, Screen, White enamelled iron cot, Bentwood rocking chair etc., etc.
Bath Room.—Linoleum, Teak Marble top bevelled mirror back washstand, Toilet crockery, Porcelain commodes, Enamelled Iron Bath, etc., etc.
Pantry and Kitchen as usual
Gas and Electric fittings throughout
On view Thursday April 26th

Favoured with instructions from
H. M. D. Rizaeff, Esq.,
will sell by Public Auction within the permises
No. 43 Peking Road (3rd floor)
On Monday, 30th April 1923 at 10 a.m.
the whole of the Excellent and Superior Household Furniture and Sundries
Hall.—Red Persian Carpet, Teak mirror back hat and umbrella stand, Canton carved blackwood marble top flower stands, Teak card table, Hall table and Mirror, Jardinieres, Wall Clock, Picture, Blue and white porcelain vases, etc.
Drawing Room.—Embroidered fire screen, Clock, Japanese Bronze Figures, Porcelain ornaments Carved Japanese Curio Cabinet, Carved Blackwood Drawing Room Chairs and Settee, Heavily carved blackwood marble top table, Tapestry seated arm chairs Silk tapestry curtains, Carved teak cornices, Large Japanese bronze Jardiniere, Mirror back music cabinet, Pictures, Cloisonne vases, Chinese Silver Bowl, Cigar Box, etc.
Dining Room.—French Gilt Brass Clock, Bronze Electric table lamp, Brass vases, Cut Glass Candelabras, Large Silver plated Salvers, Teak Mirror back Sideboard, Teak Mirror back Silver ware cabinet with plate glass shelves, Extension Dining table, Teak Dining Chairs, Teak cornices, Screen, Teak Desk and bookcase combined, Cut Glass ware, Good E. P. Ware, Crockery and Glass ware, Samovar, Lacquered teapoys, American cloth upholstered Couch, Serge curtains, Plush table cover, persian Rugs, etc., etc.
Contents of 2 Bedrooms.—Persian Carpets, Teak mahoganystained oval bevelled mirror door wardrobe, Glass top dressing table, Chest of drawers, Writing desk, Morris chairs, Brass double bedstead, Silk mattress, Card table, Table lamps, Pictures, Double mirror door wardrobe, Mirror back dressing table, Chest of drawers, Mahoganystained Wooden Single Bedsteads, Teak Chairs, Teak typewriter desk, Very old Persian embroidered table cover, Persian Shawl, etc., etc.
Store Room.—1 Platform Scale, Oak filing cabinet, Hardwood Bookcase, Copying press, Russian Hot water bath, Large Oak Wardrobe, Shelves etc. 1 Pyresse Stove, Salamandre Stove, 2 Oscillating table fans, etc.
Good Electric Fittings throughout 1 Fine toned Semi-Grand Piano by John Brinsmead.
2 Very fine Persian Carpets for Drawing and Dining Room.
1 Victor Victrola and a number of Records.
1 Old Silk Tapestry Picture "Dom Pedro V."
2 4-blade Ceiling fans with lights, 1 Iron Safe "Verstaen" Paris.
2 Semi Postage stamp Albums with a number of old stamps.
On view Sunday April 29th

FORWARD AUCTIONS
Friday, April 27th. House Auction—No. 54 Range Road.
Saturday, April 28. Stamp Auction—Upper salesroom
Monday, April 30. House Auction—No. 43 Peking Road.

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HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and SUNDRY CARGO
Mirror door Wardrobe, Dressing Table, Chest of Drawers, Washstands, Mirror Back Sideboard, Dining Table, Dining Chairs, Oakwood Ice Chest, Blackwood Flower Stands, White Painted Bedroom Suite, Drill Covered Couch and Easy Chairs, Leather Hand Bag, Leather Valises, 1 Lady's Silver Bag about 19 oz., 1 Box, 1 Comb, 1 Brush (in Case) 1 Manicuring Set, Silk Tapestry Table Cover, Napkin, Tea Cloth, Gold Ring, Earrings, etc., etc.
also
1 National Typewriter.
1 Pair Binoculars in Case.
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At No. 7 Wayside Road
on
Wednesday, the 25th April,
At 10 a.m.
Excellent household furniture and effects.
Comprising:
Hall, Drawing Room, Dining Room, Bedrooms, Pantry and Kitchen requisites.
Hall carpets, hat and umbrella stand, Japanese arms, curtains, tapestry covered drawing room suite, overmantle, coal scuttle, fire brass, mirror back sideboard, cellarette, extension dining table and chairs, E. P., and crockery ware, tapestry carpet, red plush covered cosy corner, rattan chairs, teakwood bevel-edged mirror back bedroom furniture, large 3-door mirror door wardrobe, double iron door wardrobe, double iron and wooden bedsteads, chenille curtain, pictures, photogravure, and a fine collection of ancient Chinese bronze and porcelain curios, etc., etc.
also
One Japanese Warrior uniform.
One 12-bore sporting gun.
On view Tuesday

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Will sell by Public Auction at his residence
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on
Tuesday, the 24th April, 1923,
At 10 a.m.
The whole of the
Very Superior and Almost New HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
Mostly imported and made by first-class local makers
Comprising:
Hall.—Coir Door Mats, Green Felting, Blackwood Side Table and Half Chairs, Hat and Umbrella Stand, Screen, Pictures, Brass Rods and Cloth Runners.
Drawing Room in Mahogany-Stained Teak.—Solid Bookcases and Writing Desk, Copper Mounted Cabinet, Oval Mirror, Engravings, Heavy Tapestry Curtains, Teakwood Easy Chairs Upholstered in Tapestry, Sofa and Arm Chairs Covered with Blue Silk, Mahogany Easy Chairs and Rocker, Floor Lamp and Silk Shade, Tables, Curios and Ornaments and Black-painted Superior Rattan Furniture.
Dining Room.—Brass Coal Box, Brass Fire Guards and Fire Brasses, Wall Clock with Chimes, Couch, Mahogany-stained Dining Room Suite with Silverware Cabinet to match, Large Pictures, also Porcelain Dinner and Tea Sets, Very Fine Glassware, Tile Lined Ice Chest, Ice Cream Freezer, Large Meat Safes, Utensils, etc.
Two Bedrooms.—Green Curtains and Felting, Mahogany-stained Teakwood Large Bedroom Suite (By Weeks), Writing Desk, Sofa, Very Superior Heavy Twin Brass Bedsteads with Hair Mattresses, also New Rattan Furniture, Large Teakwood Carved Wardrobe and Linen Cabinet, Carpet, Sweeper, Kerosene Oil Stove, Medicine Chest, Toilet Set,
etc., etc., etc.
also
1 Very Fine Moutrie" Upright Grand Piano, Style IV. B, 7 Year Guarantee, Purchased 6 months ago.
2 Salamandre Stoves.
1 Oscillating Desk Fan (G. E.) 200 Volts.
1 Tennis Set.
On View Sunday and Monday, the 22nd and 23rd instant.
Catalogues on the Premises.

Silk Report

In their weekly report on the Shanghai Silk market, Messrs. William Little and Company write as follows:
Our last report was dated April 13.
Interest has almost been entirely confined to Steam Filatures which after easing off last week recovered their decline and now are on a higher basis again. Favorite chops require delivery August as quickest shipment and in a few instances Sept.-October is asked.
Cables from Japan report a firm market Shinshui No. 1 Yen 2,320.
EXPORT FROM SHANGHAI
From June 1 to date, 16,815 bales white and 11,400 bales yellow.
To London, 2,149 bales.
To France, 3,055 bales white and 998 bales yellow.
To Italy and Switzerland, 204 bales white and 10 bales yellow.
To Americas, 9,051 balen.
To India and Levant, 2,037 bales white and 9,799 bales yellow.
To Hongkong, Coast and Straits, 912 bales.
Steam filatures to Europe, 14,882 bales and America, 13,122 bales.
Yellow steam, 5,646 bales.
Wild silk to Europe, 3,943 bales and America 6,699 bales.
SETTLEMENTS

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Settlements for Europe, etc., White Silk	8,000
Settlements for Europe, etc., Yellow Silk	11,700
Settlements for America, White Silk	8,900
Stock in Shanghai, White Silk	100
Yellow Silk	300
Visible Supply for season to date	29,000

The Special bargains in the removal sale at
THE JADE TREE
This week are:
Peking glass at less than cost in Peking.
Canton China at cost in Canton,
The old Chinese Embroidery sale continues, with still further cuts in prices,
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Auctioneers, Real Estate Agents, Adjusters, Appraisers, and Coal Merchants
will sell by Public Auction within their Salesroom
No. 40A Kiangse Road
on
Thursday, the 26th April, at 10 a.m.
Useful household furniture and sundries,
Comprising:
Tapestry covered drawing room furniture, cream colored square table, American leather covered couch and arm chairs, hat stands, dark stained mirror back side board, dinner wagon, extension dining table and chairs, Mirror back bedroom furniture, tile top washstand, bookcase, letter file, roll and flat top desks, office chair, safe, meat safe, ice chest, baby's car, perambulator, dining set, screen, picture, coffee machine, carpet, matting, vases, sanitary commode, gent's and lady's clothing, and sundries, etc., etc.
also
2 Porcelain basins.
A quantity of Persian and velvet carpet.
On view Wednesday

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